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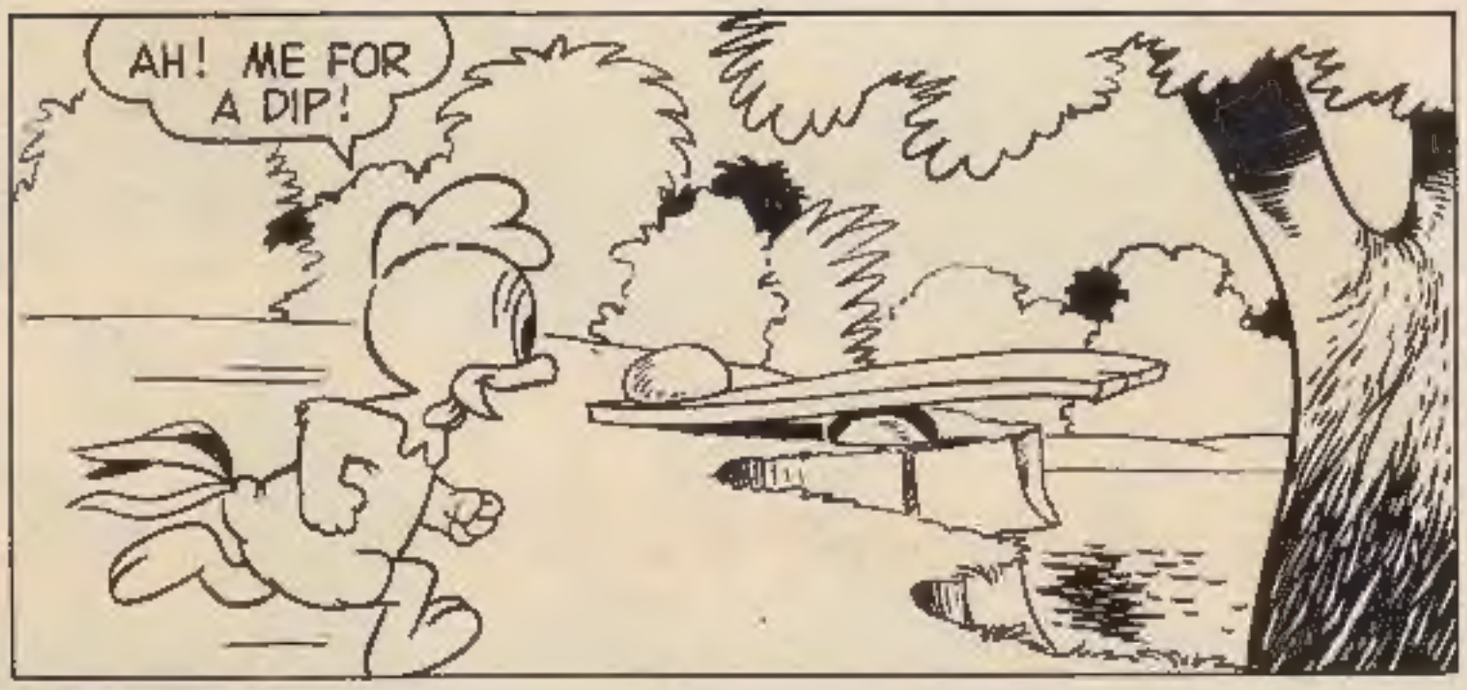

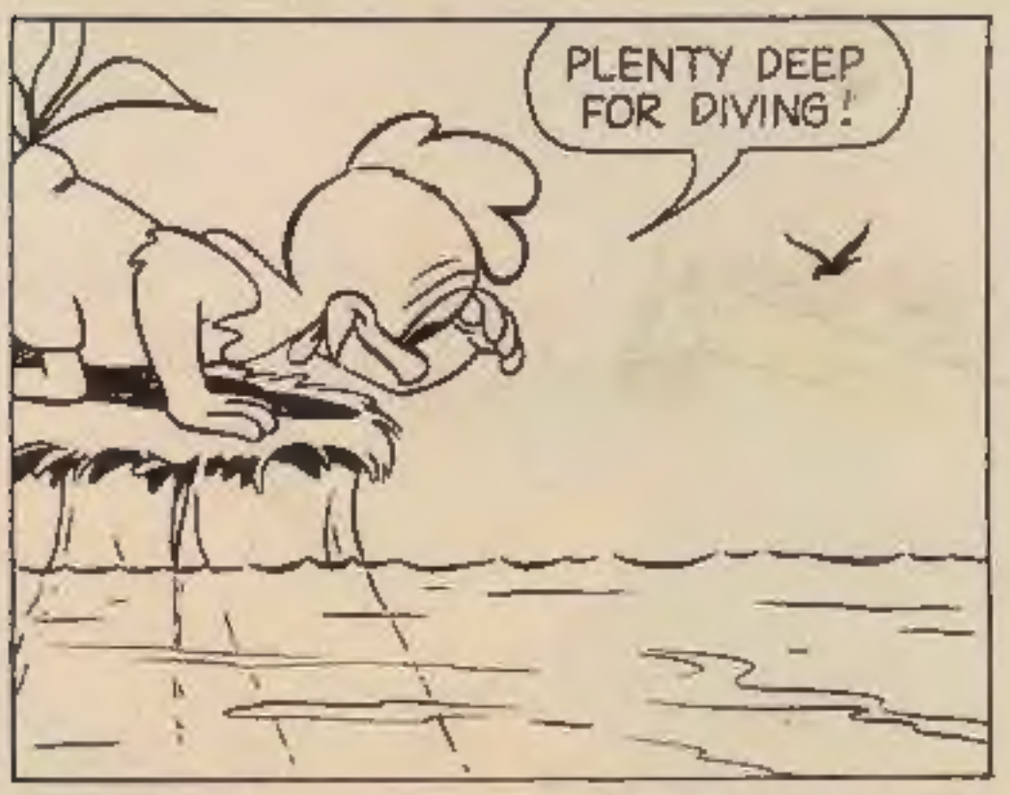

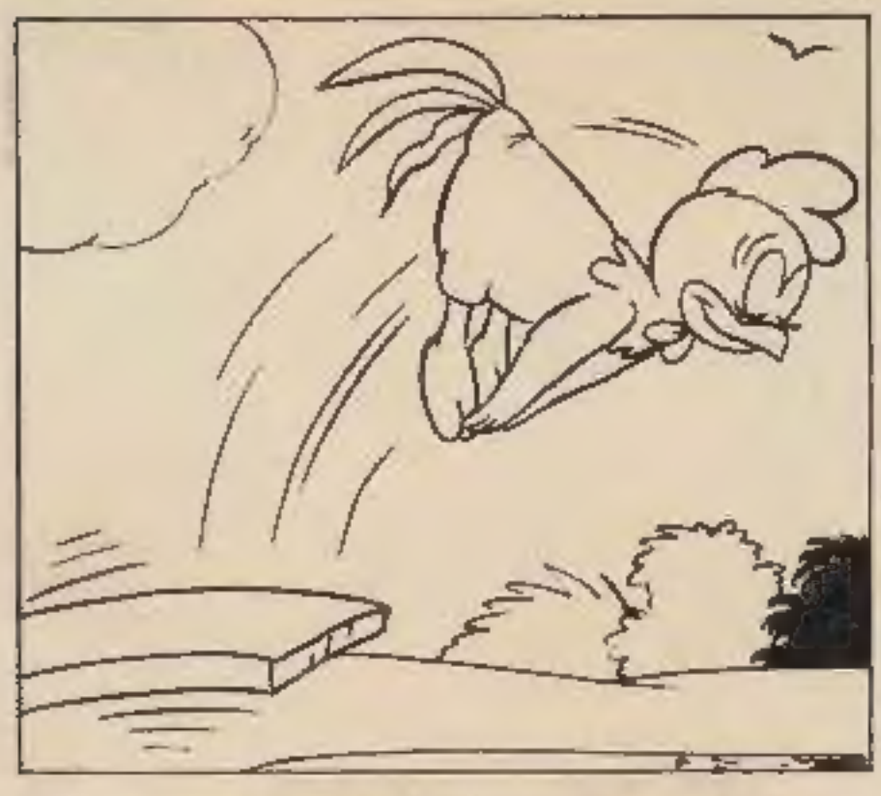

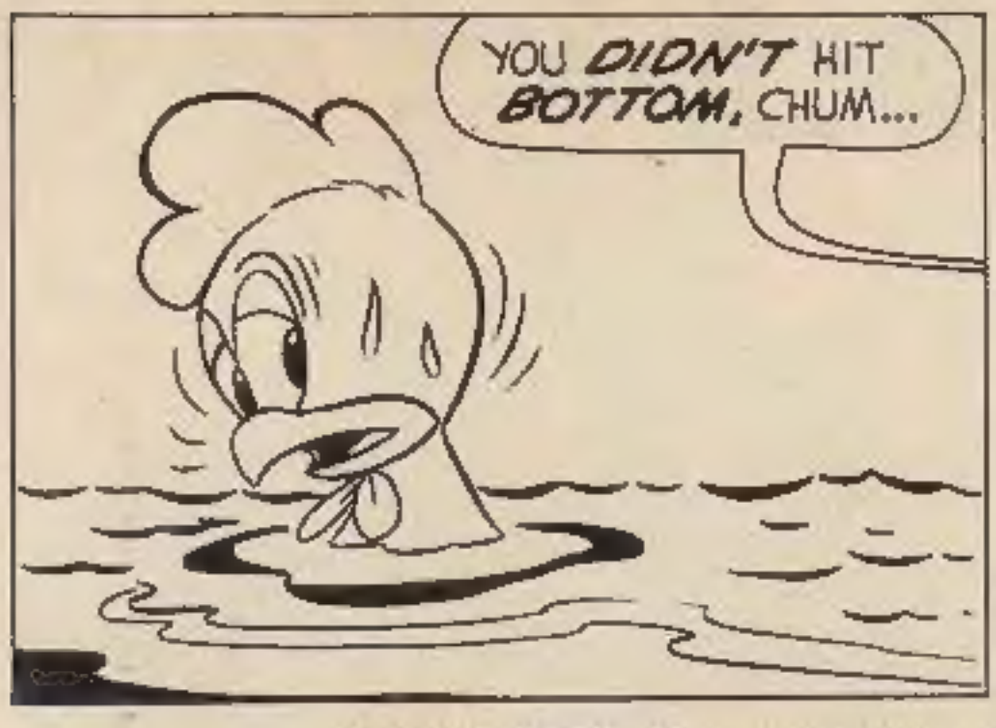

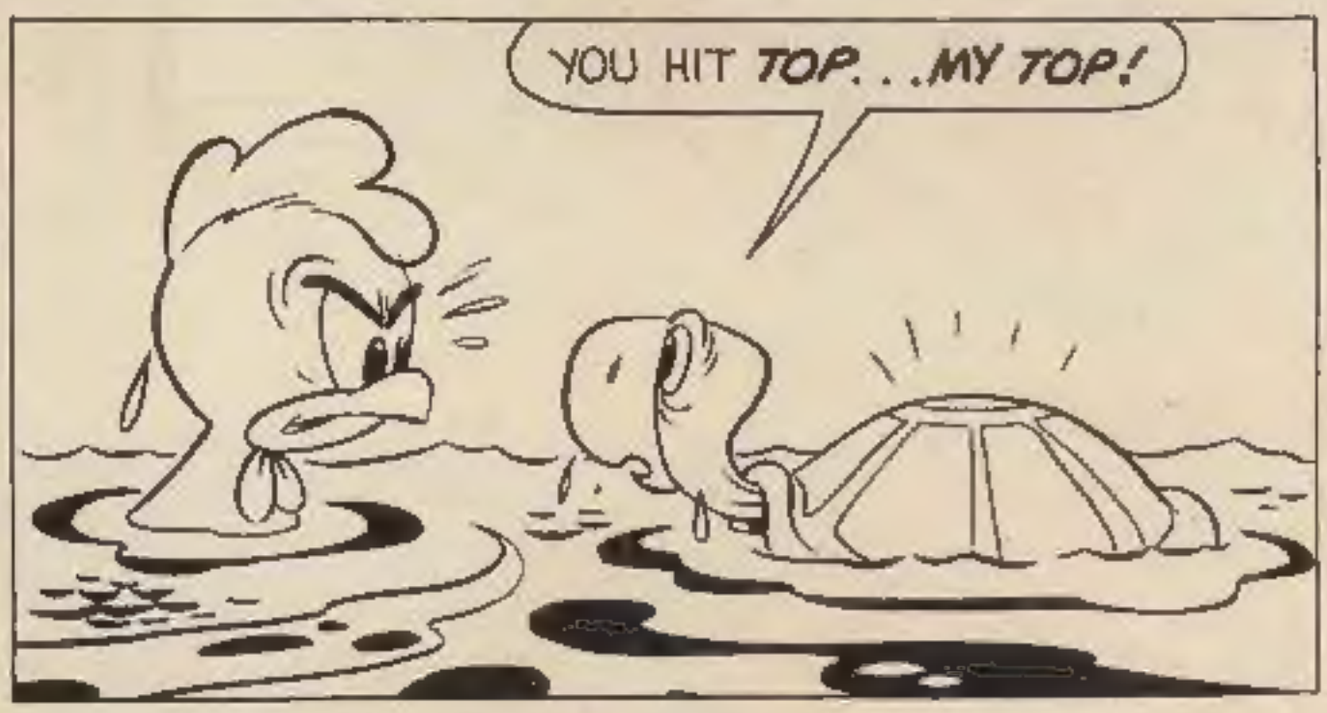

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THE HAMGRAVIAN SWINDLE

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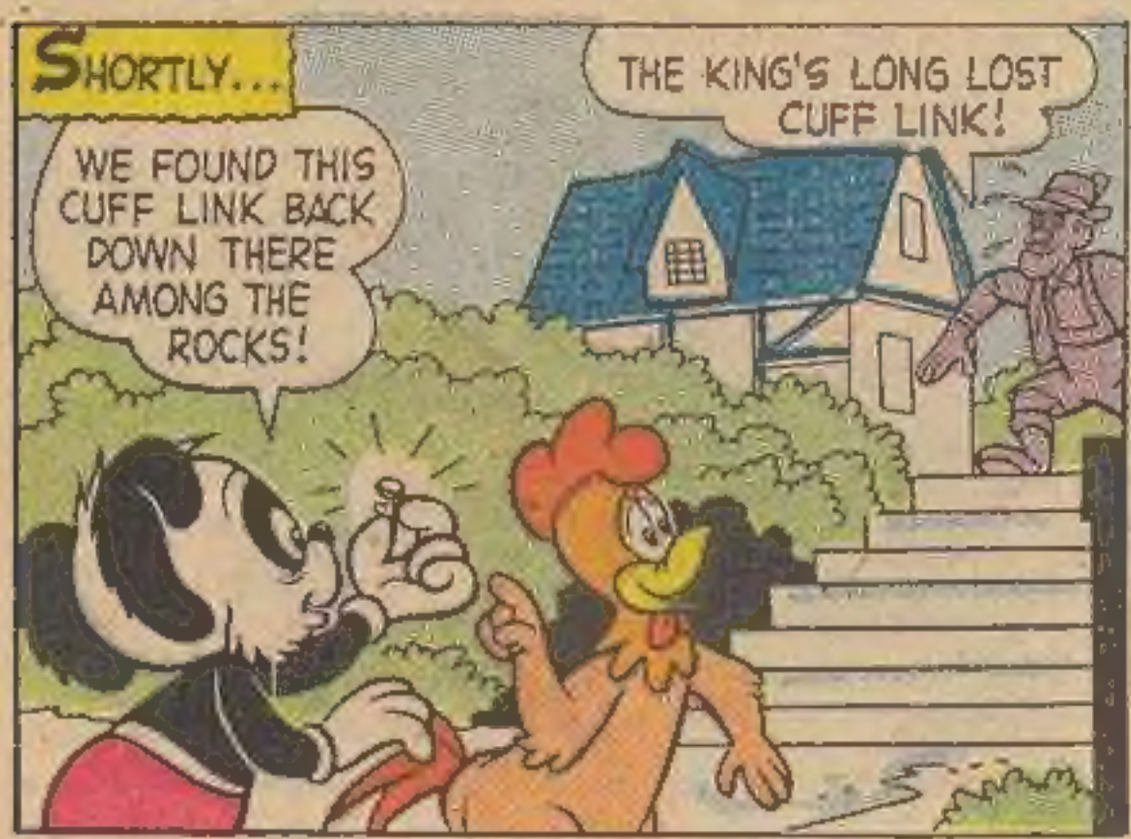
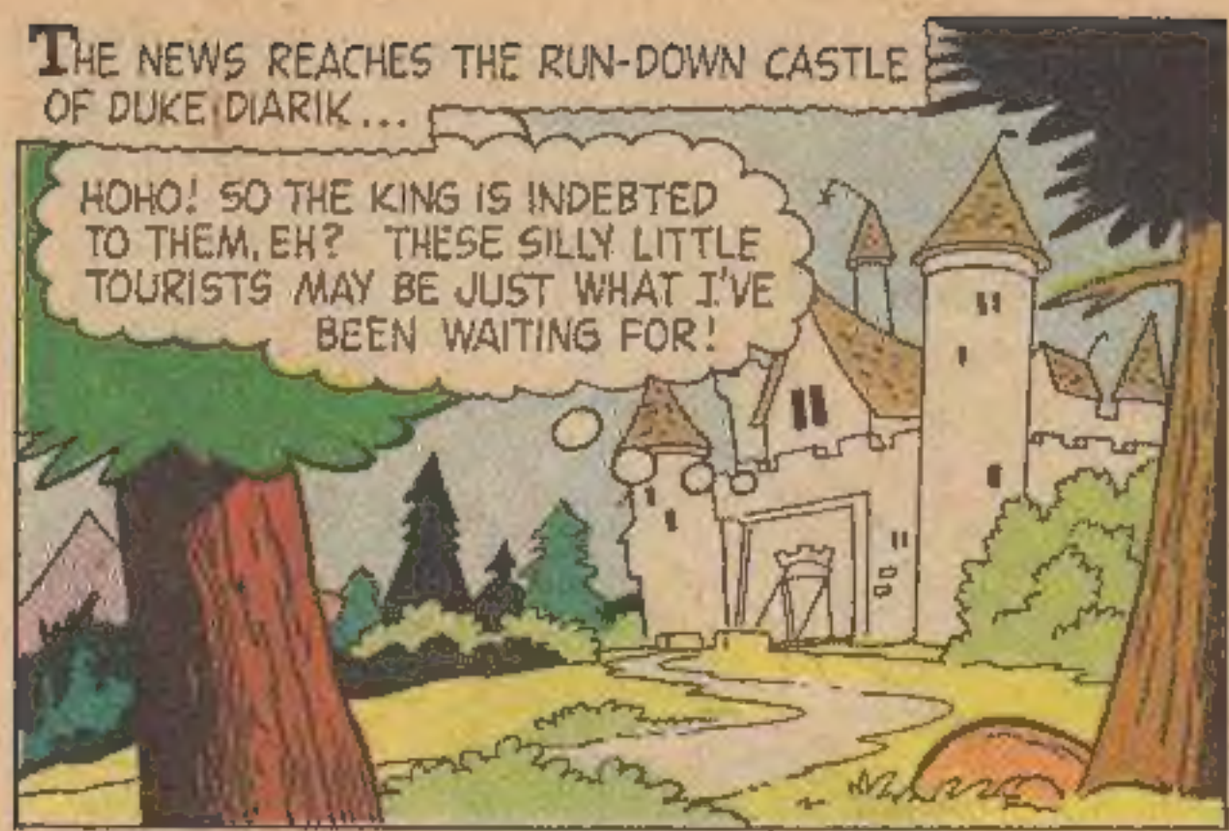
THE BOYS ARE ON A TRIP... MAKING THE USUAL TOURIST ROUNDS OF THAT HISTORIC MOUNTAIN KINGDOM, HAMGRAVIA!

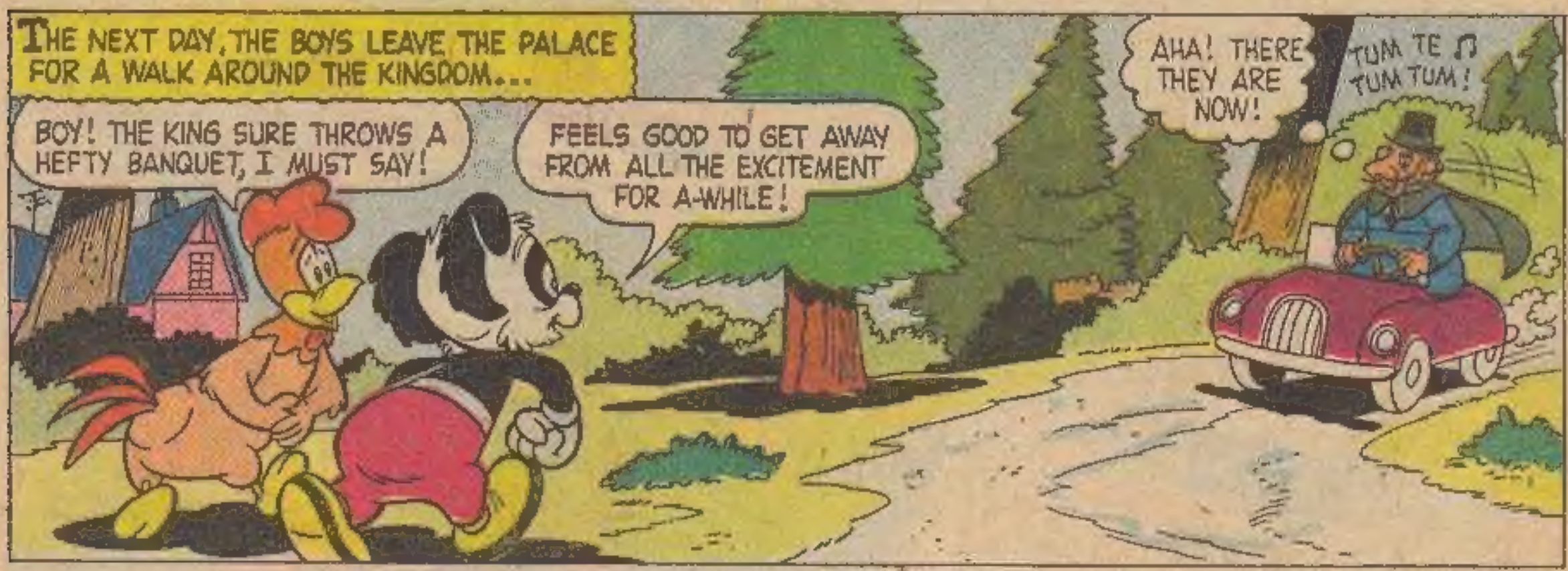
LOOK, CHARLIE! SOMETHING SHINING DOWN THERE AMONG THE ROCKS!

IT'S RIGHT BY THAT LITTLE TREE! LET'S COME BACK AND FIND IT WHEN WE GET DOWN FROM THIS AIR-BORNE TROLLEY RIDE!

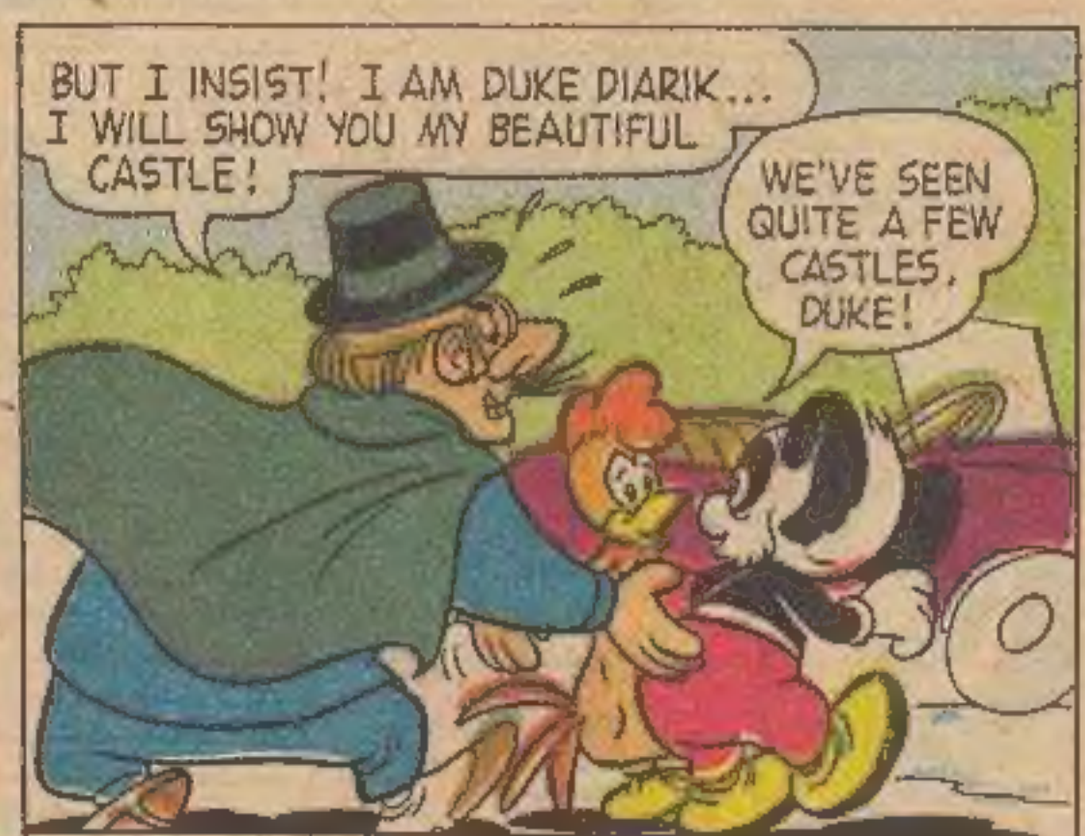



THE NEWS REACHES THE RUN-DOWN CASTLE OF DUKE DIARIK...
HOHO! SO THE KING IS INDEBTED TO THEM, EH? THESE SILLY LITTLE TOURISTS MAY BE JUST WHAT I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR!

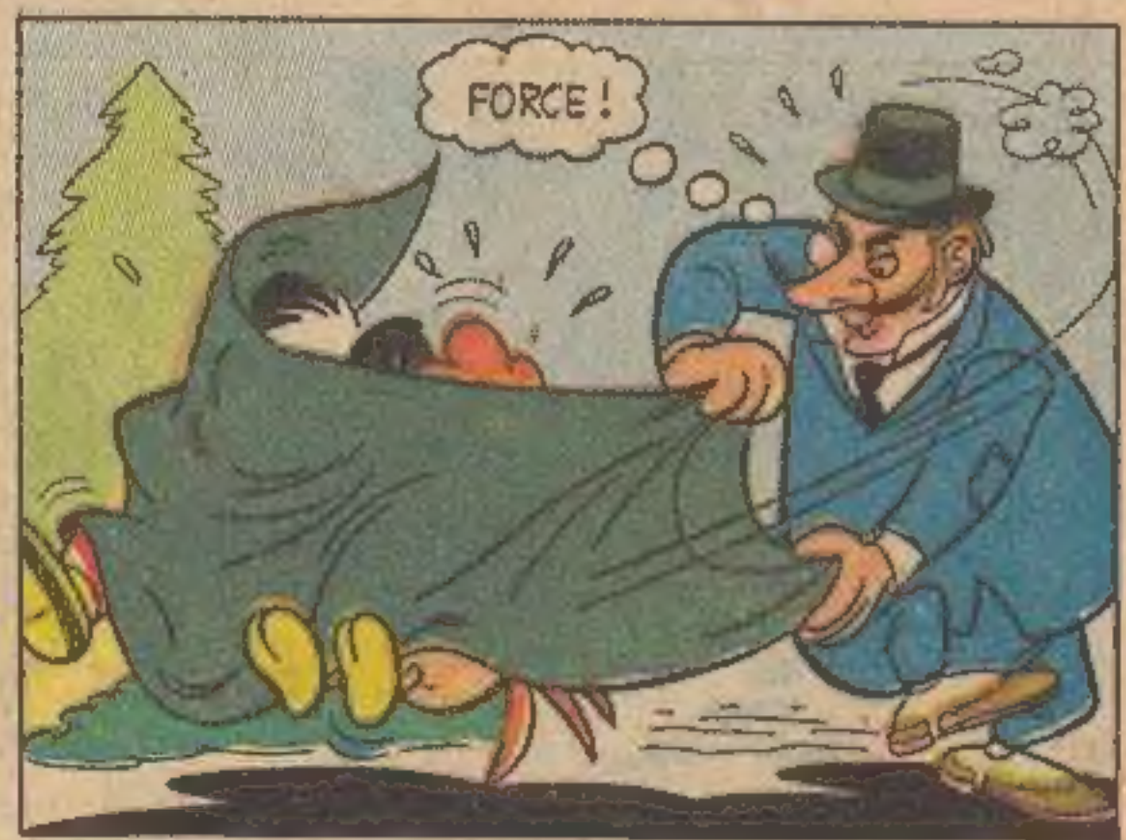
AT LAST I CAN PUT MY DASTARDLY PLOT INTO OPERATION!
HAMGRAVIAN GAZETTE
KING SMOOLI DECLARES GRATITUDE TO FINDERS OF MISSING CUFF LINK!


THE NEXT DAY, THE BOYS LEAVE THE PALACE FOR A WALK AROUND THE KINGDOM...
BOY! THE KING SURE THROWS A HEFTY BANQUET, I MUST SAY!
FEELS GOOD TO GET AWAY FROM ALL THE EXCITEMENT FOR A-WHILE!
AHA! THERE THEY ARE NOW!
TUM TE ♫ TUM TUM!

IN HAMGRAVIA WE ARE ALWAYS LOVELY TO TOURISTS, YOUNG SIRS! WON'T YOU ACCEPT A RIDE IN MY LITTLE RUNABOUT?
NO THANKS, MISTER! WE...


BUT I INSIST! I AM DUKE DIARIK... I WILL SHOW YOU MY BEAUTIFUL CASTLE!
WE'VE SEEN QUITE A FEW CASTLES, DUKE!

THANKS ANYWAY! WE'LL JUST CONTINUE OUR STROLL!
THEN I SHALL HAVE TO USE...


FORCE!

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA?
LET US OUT OF HERE!
SILENCE, LITTLE FOOLS... I DO NOT WANT THIS TO BE A PUBLIC AFFAIR!

HAH! NO ONE WILL HEAR YOU WAY UP HERE! GO AHEAD, YOU CAN BABBLE ALL YOU WANT NOW!
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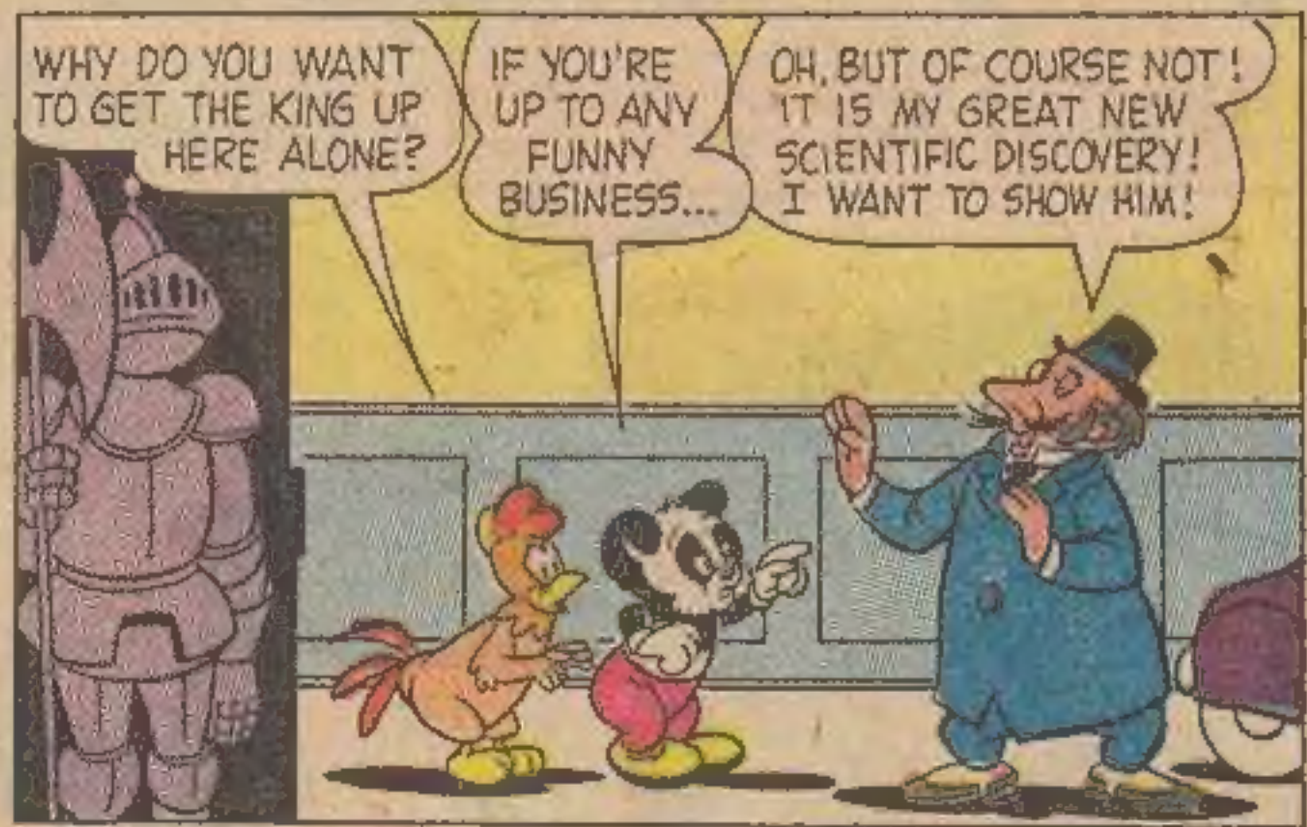
WHAT DO YOU WANT WITH US?
I NEED YOU...HEH... BECAUSE YOU ARE SUCH GOOD FRIENDS OF KING SMOOLI!

MY OWN SWEET CHARMS ARE NOT ENOUGH TO GET HIS HIGHNESS UP HERE! ALONE, THAT IS... WITHOUT ALL OF HIS FLUNKIES AND ATTENDANTS! BUT YOU LITTLE PIGEONS CAN COAX HIM HERE, I DARE SAY! HEH, HEH!

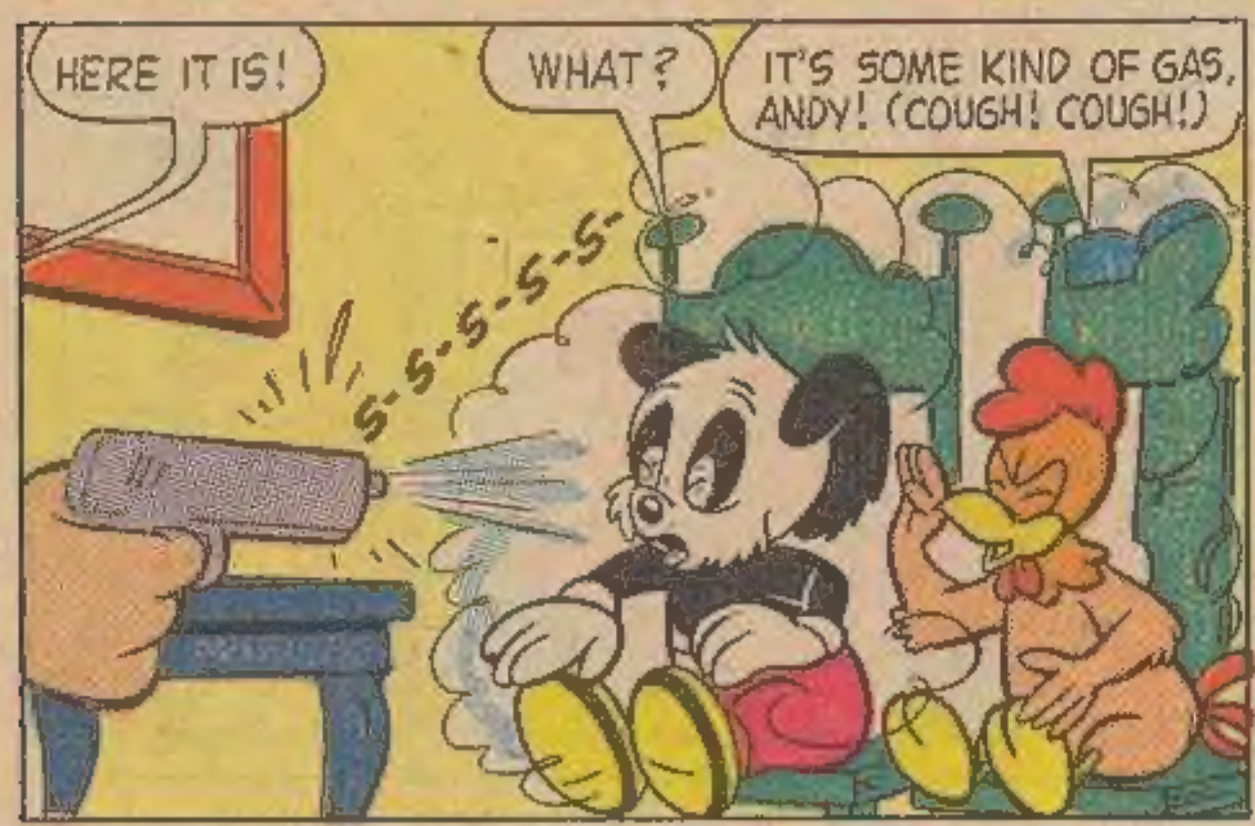

WHY DO YOU WANT TO GET THE KING UP HERE ALONE?
IF YOU'RE UP TO ANY FUNNY BUSINESS...
OH, BUT OF COURSE NOT! IT IS MY GREAT NEW SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY! I WANT TO SHOW HIM!

BUT HE THINKS I AM JUST AN IRRESPONSIBLE SCALAWAG!
HE'S PROBABLY RIGHT... IF THIS IS THE WAY YOU OPERATE!
WE'RE NOT GOING TO COAX THE KING ANYWHERE YOU SAY, CHUM!

I WAS AFRAID YOU WOULD BE DIFFICULT! START WALKING! BACK... THAT WAY! INTO THAT ROOM BEHIND YOU!

IF YOU'VE MADE A GREAT SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE SO SNEAKY ABOUT IT!
JEEPERS! THE KING IS BOUND TO BE INTERESTED! WHAT IS YOUR DISCOVERY, ANYWAY?

BE SEATED, GENTLEMEN... AND I WILL SHOW YOU!
YES, SIR!


HERE IT IS!
WHAT?
IT'S SOME KIND OF GAS, ANDY! (COUGH! COUGH!)
S-S-S-S-S-S-

(YAWN!)...IT'S...IT'S MAKING ME FEEL SO...SO SLEE-EEPY...
IT WILL DO MORE THAN THAT, MY FOOLISH ONES! YOU SHALL SEE WHEN YOU AWAKEN!
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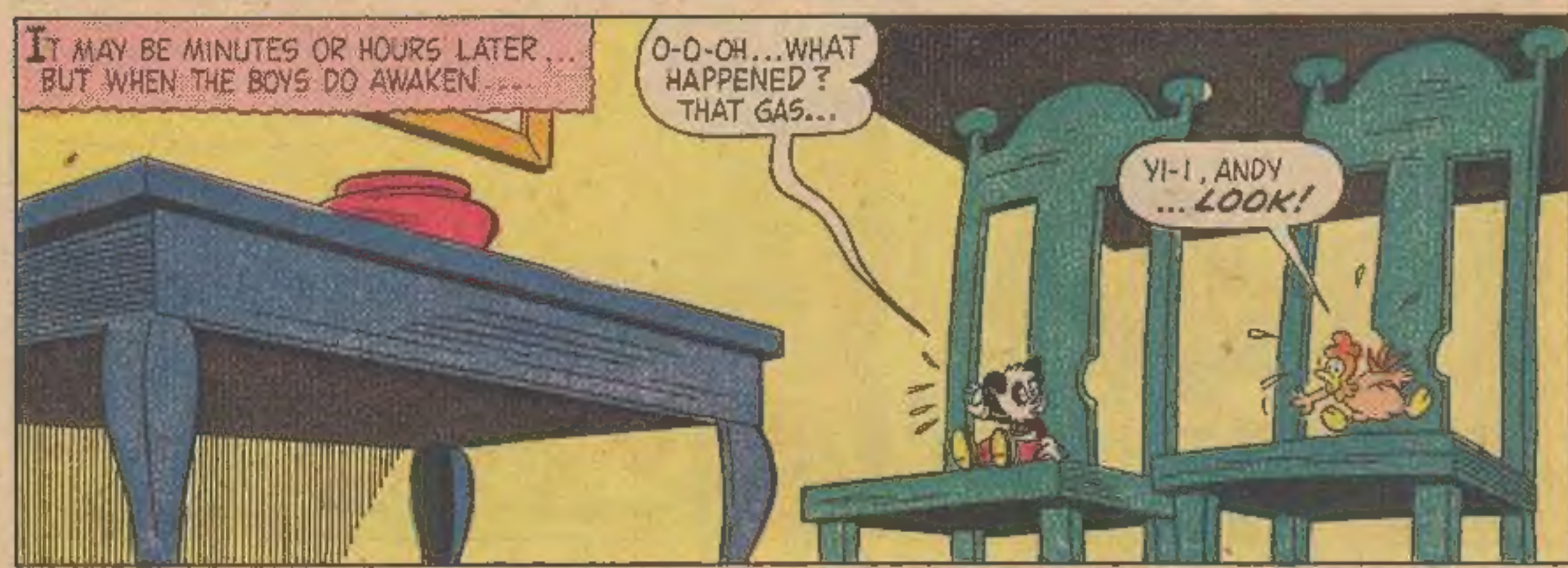
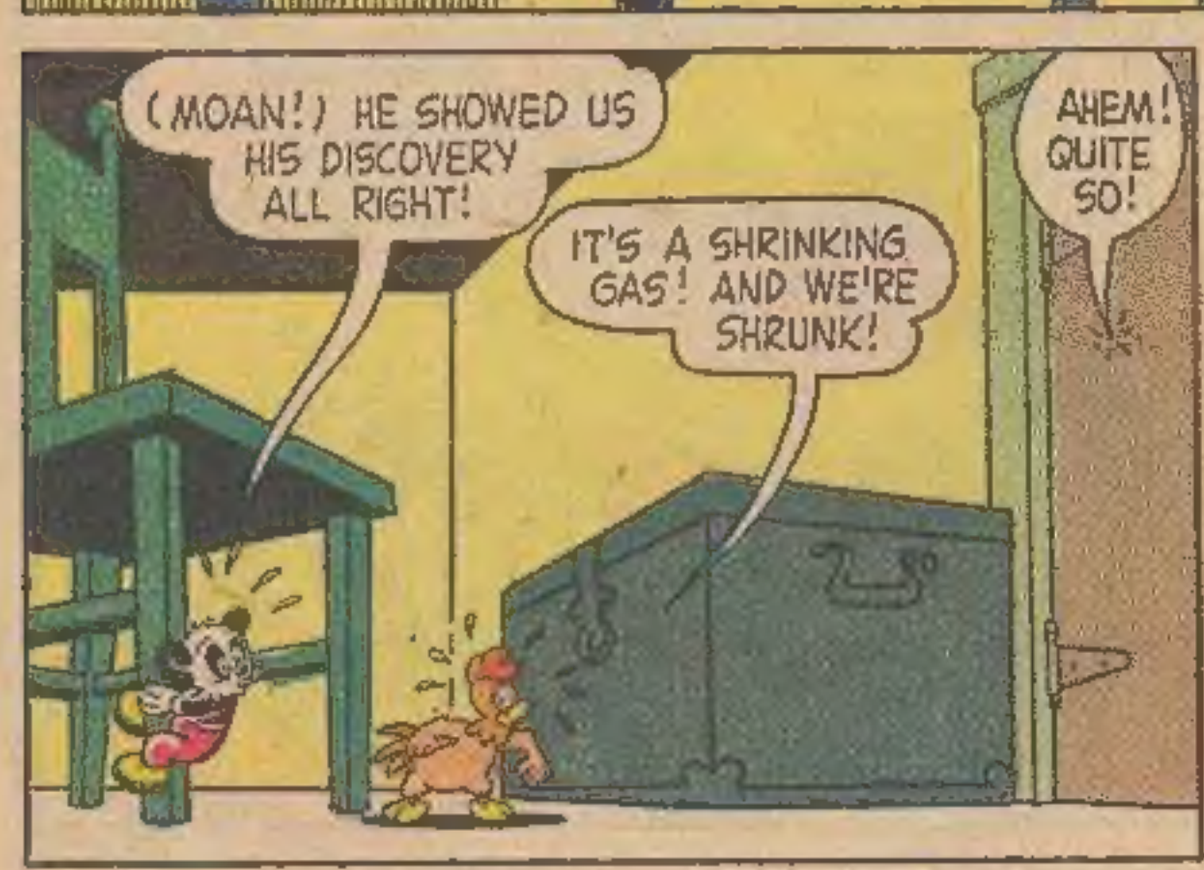
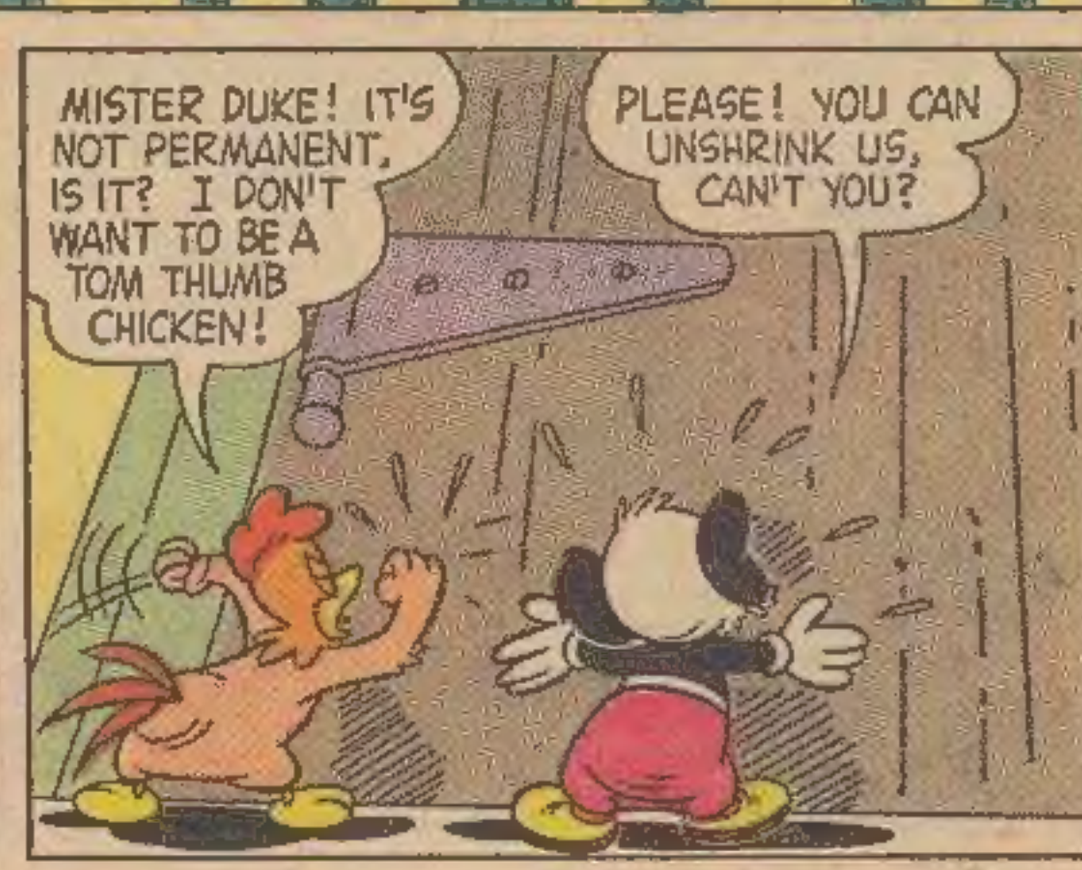
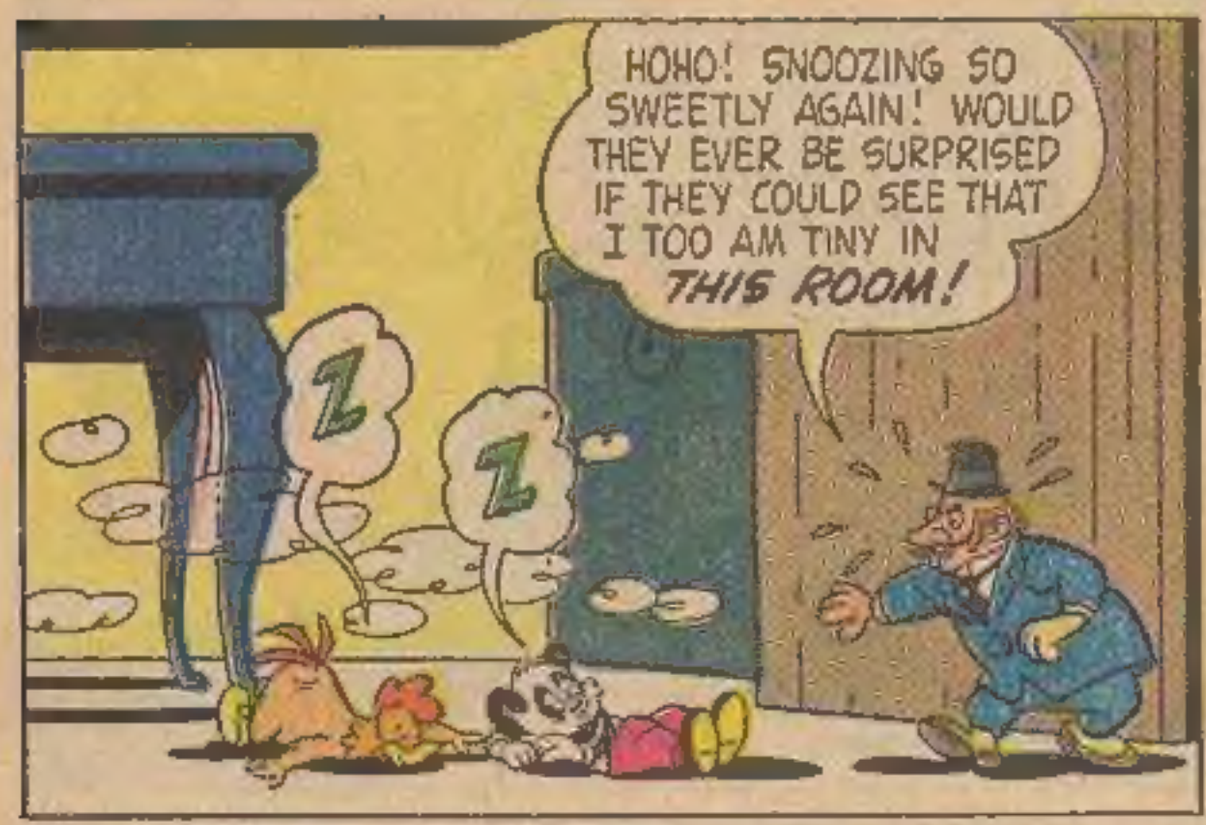

IT MAY BE MINUTES OR HOURS LATER... BUT WHEN THE BOYS DO AWAKEN...
O-O-OH...WHAT HAPPENED? THAT GAS...
YI-I, ANDY ...LOOK!


(MOAN!) HE SHOWED US HIS DISCOVERY ALL RIGHT!
IT'S A SHRINKING GAS! AND WE'RE SHRUNK!
AHEM! QUITE SO!


MISTER DUKE! IT'S NOT PERMANENT, IS IT? I DON'T WANT TO BE A TOM THUMB CHICKEN!
PLEASE! YOU CAN UNSHRINK US, CAN'T YOU?

WELL, IT JUST SO HAPPENS THAT I CAN RESTORE YOU TO YOUR NORMAL SIZE... BUT WHY SHOULD I WHEN YOU WON'T EVEN DO ME A LITTLE FAVOR?
OH, WE WILL! WE WILL! JUST MAKE US OUR OWN SIZE AGAIN!

ALL RIGHT, HERE IT COMES! THIS TIME IT'S MY UN-SHRINKING GAS!
COUGH! COUGH!
HERE WE GO AGAIN!


HOHO! SNOOZING SO SWEETLY AGAIN! WOULD THEY EVER BE SURPRISED IF THEY COULD SEE THAT I TOO AM TINY IN THIS ROOM!
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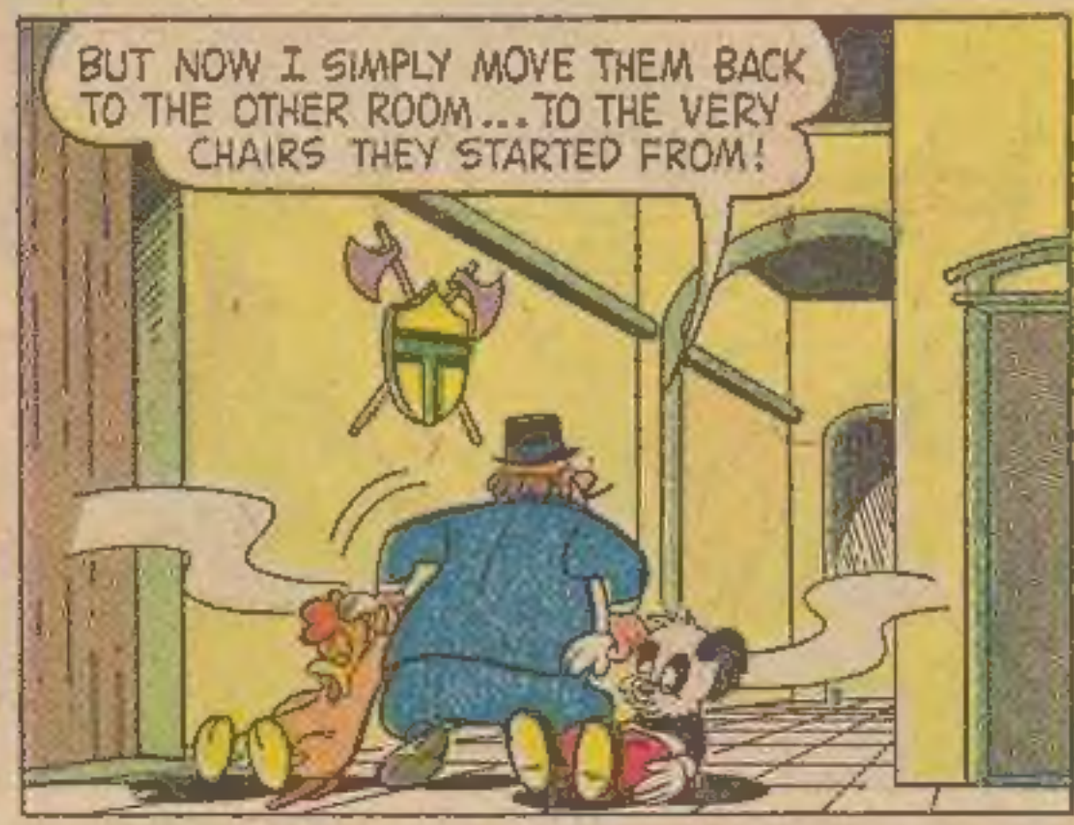
BUT NOW I SIMPLY MOVE THEM BACK TO THE OTHER ROOM... TO THE VERY CHAIRS THEY STARTED FROM!

AND PRESTO, THEY ARE BACK TO NORMAL SIZE AGAIN!
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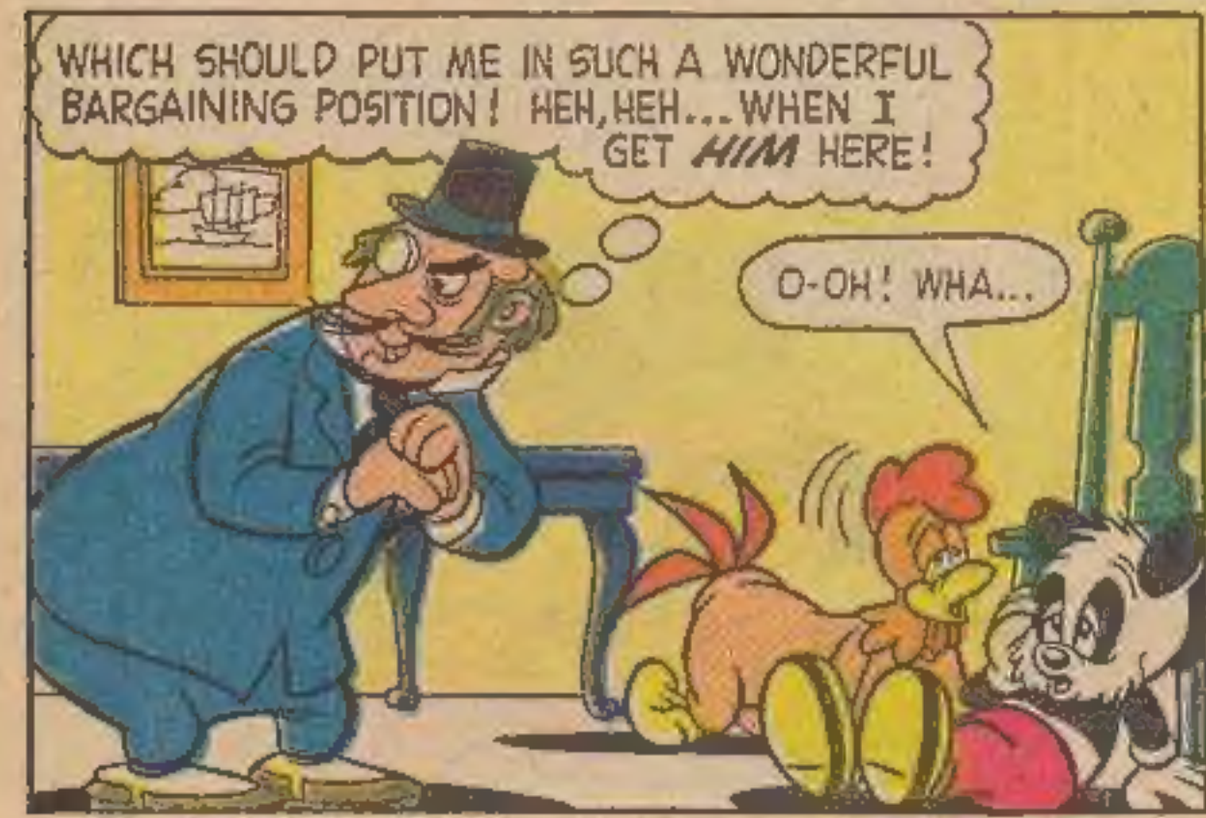
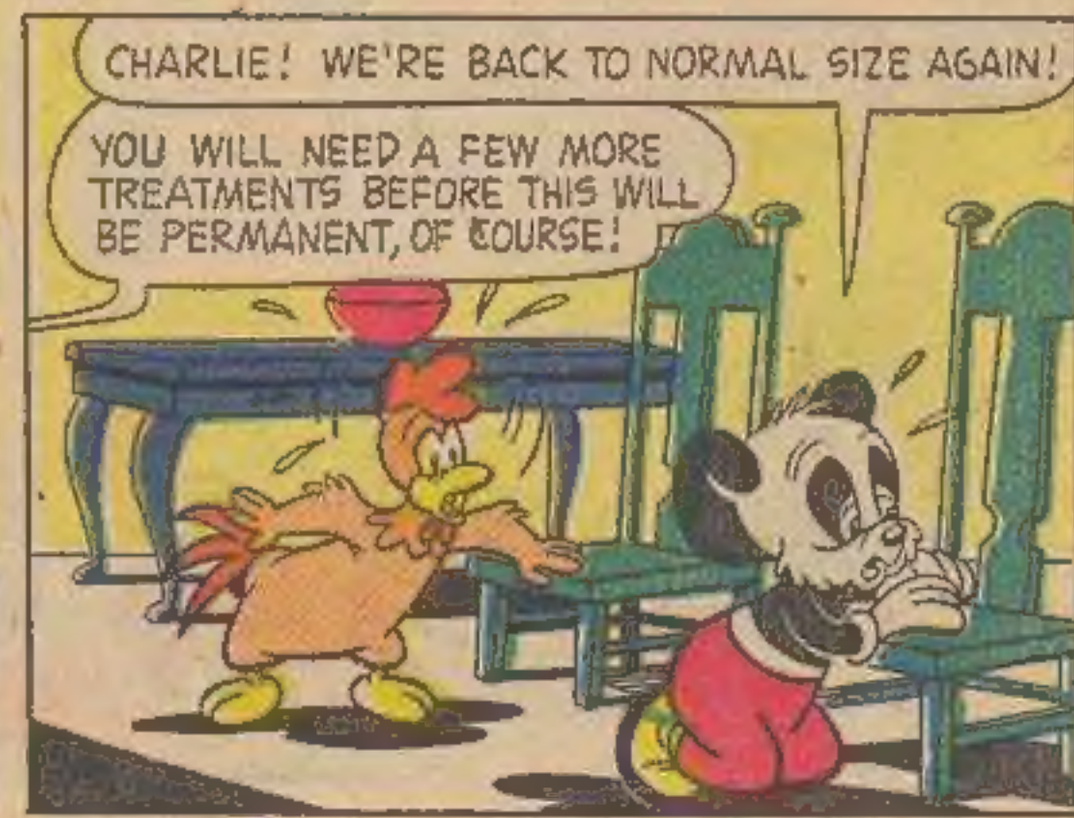
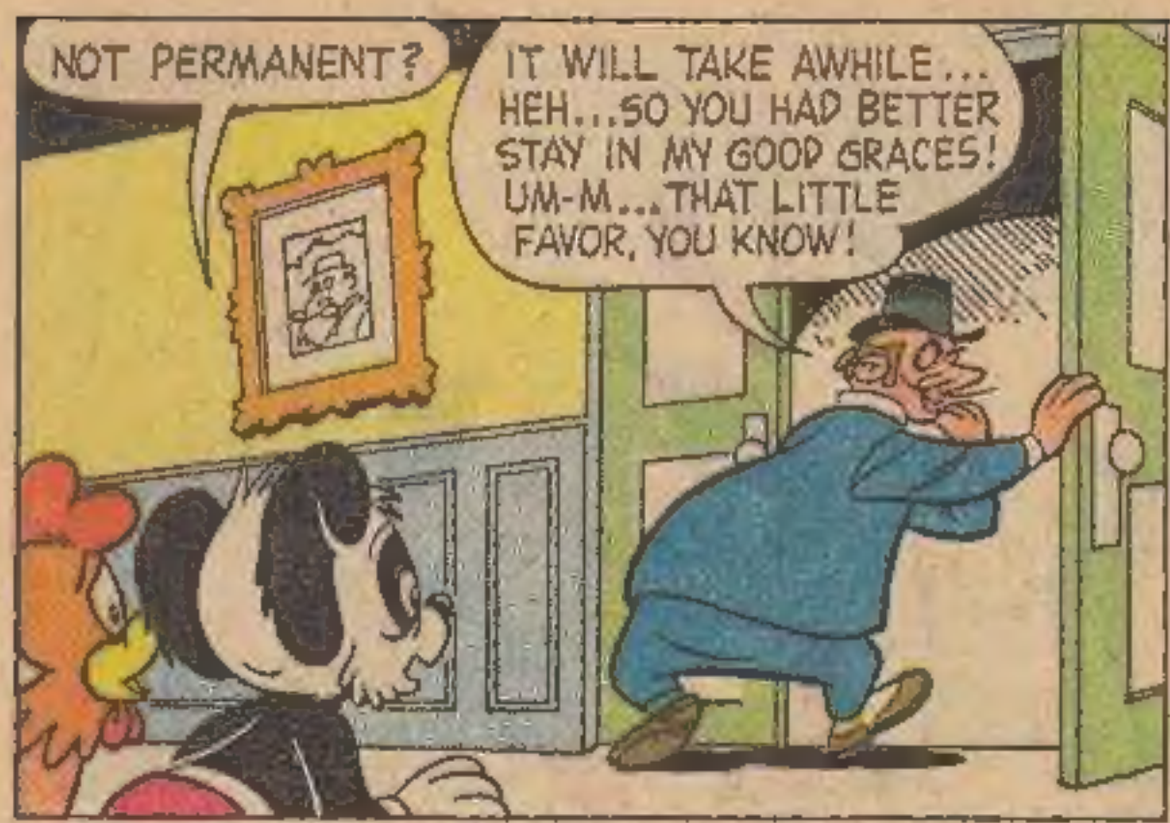
HEE, HEE... IT'S SO SIMPLE! WITH TWO ROOMS ALIKE IN EVERY DETAIL... EXCEPT SIZE... ANYONE WOULD BELIEVE MY ORDINARY SLEEPING GAS ..HEE, HEE... IS REALLY CHANGING THEIR SIZE!
EVEN A KING!

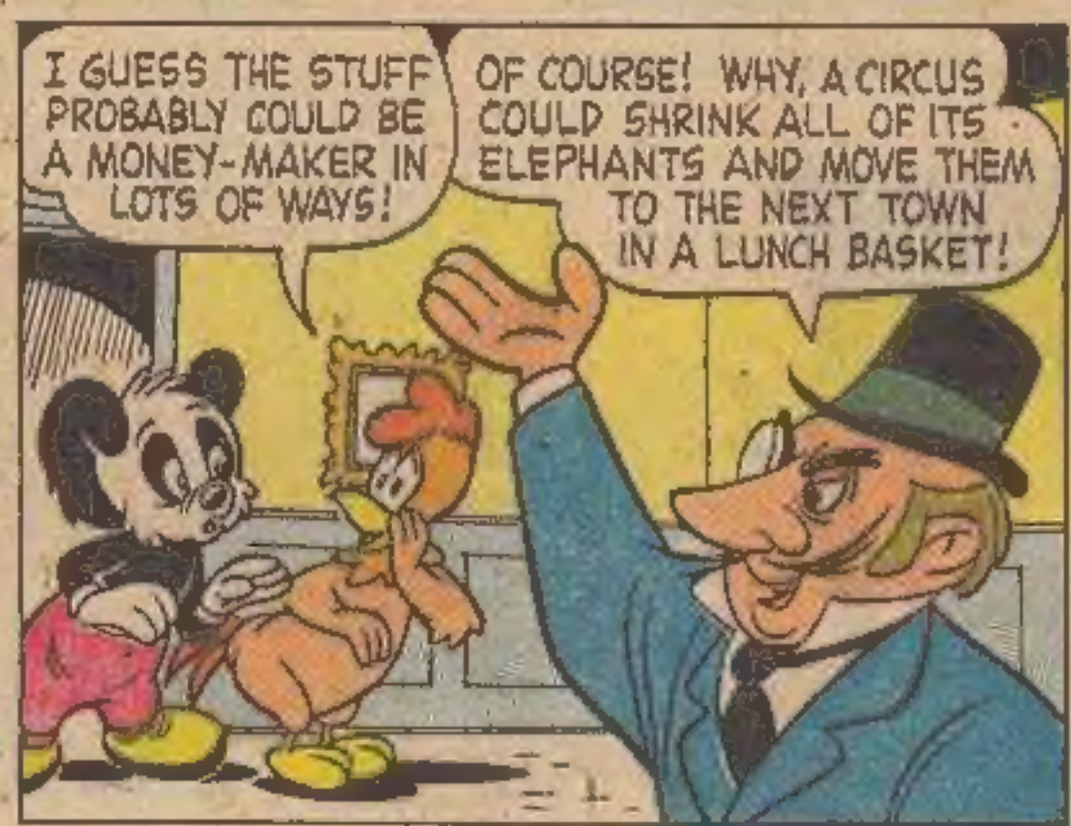

WHICH SHOULD PUT ME IN SUCH A WONDERFUL BARGAINING POSITION! HEH, HEH... WHEN I GET HIM HERE!
O-OH! WHA...


CHARLIE! WE'RE BACK TO NORMAL SIZE AGAIN!
YOU WILL NEED A FEW MORE TREATMENTS BEFORE THIS WILL BE PERMANENT, OF COURSE!

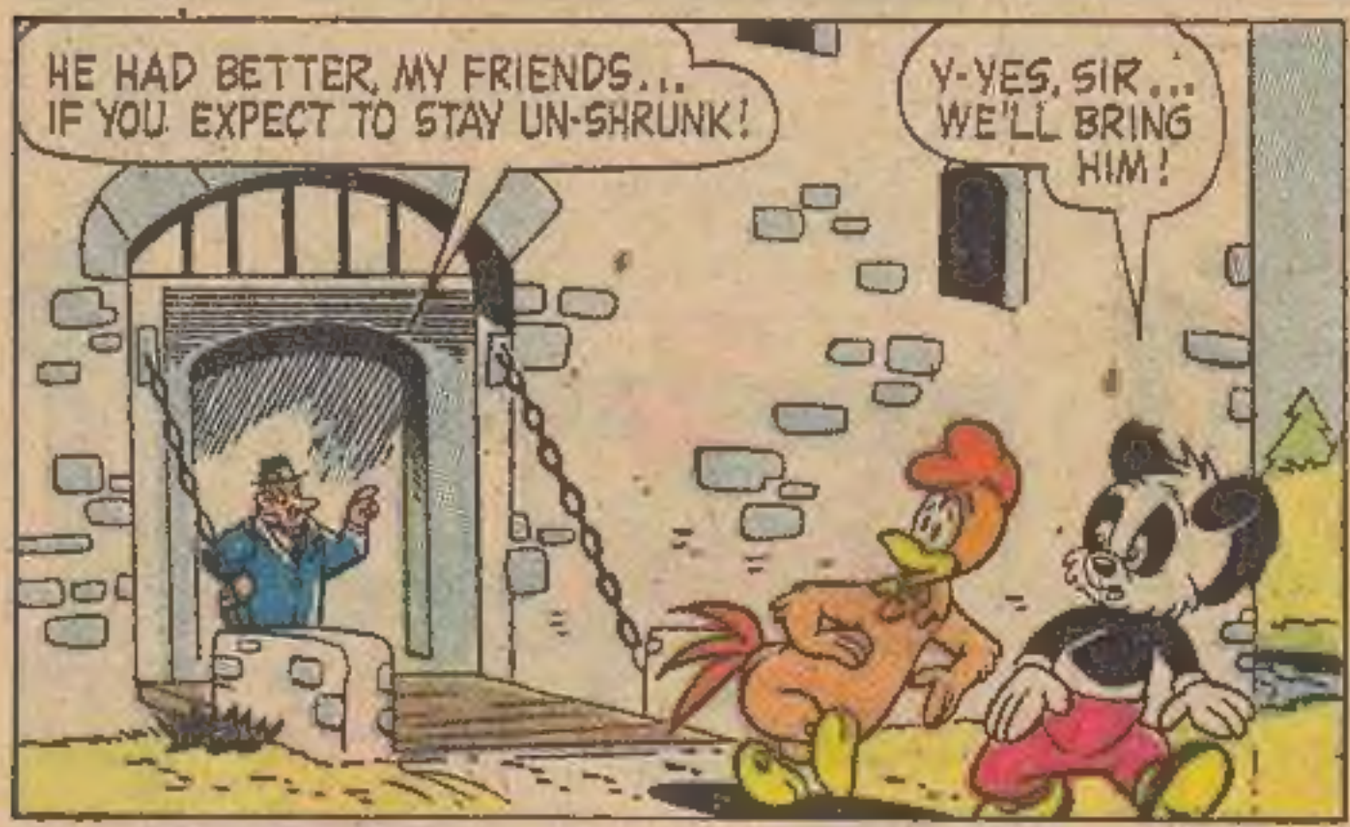

NOT PERMANENT?
IT WILL TAKE AWHILE... HEH...SO YOU HAD BETTER STAY IN MY GOOD GRACES! UM-M...THAT LITTLE FAVOR, YOU KNOW!

BUT...
IF YOU ARE WORRYING ABOUT THE KING, I PLEDGE UPON THE SHIELD OF MY ANCESTORS I WILL NOT CHANGE HIS SIZE ONE FRACTION!
HEH...AS IF I REALLY COULD!

I JUST WANT TO DISCUSS THE INVESTMENT POSSIBILITIES WITH HIM...WITH NONE OF HIS COURT FLUNKIES AROUND, ALL WANTING IN ON THE DEAL!
OH!
I SEE!


I GUESS THE STUFF PROBABLY COULD BE A MONEY-MAKER IN LOTS OF WAYS!
OF COURSE! WHY, A CIRCUS COULD SHRINK ALL OF ITS ELEPHANTS AND MOVE THEM TO THE NEXT TOWN IN A LUNCH BASKET!

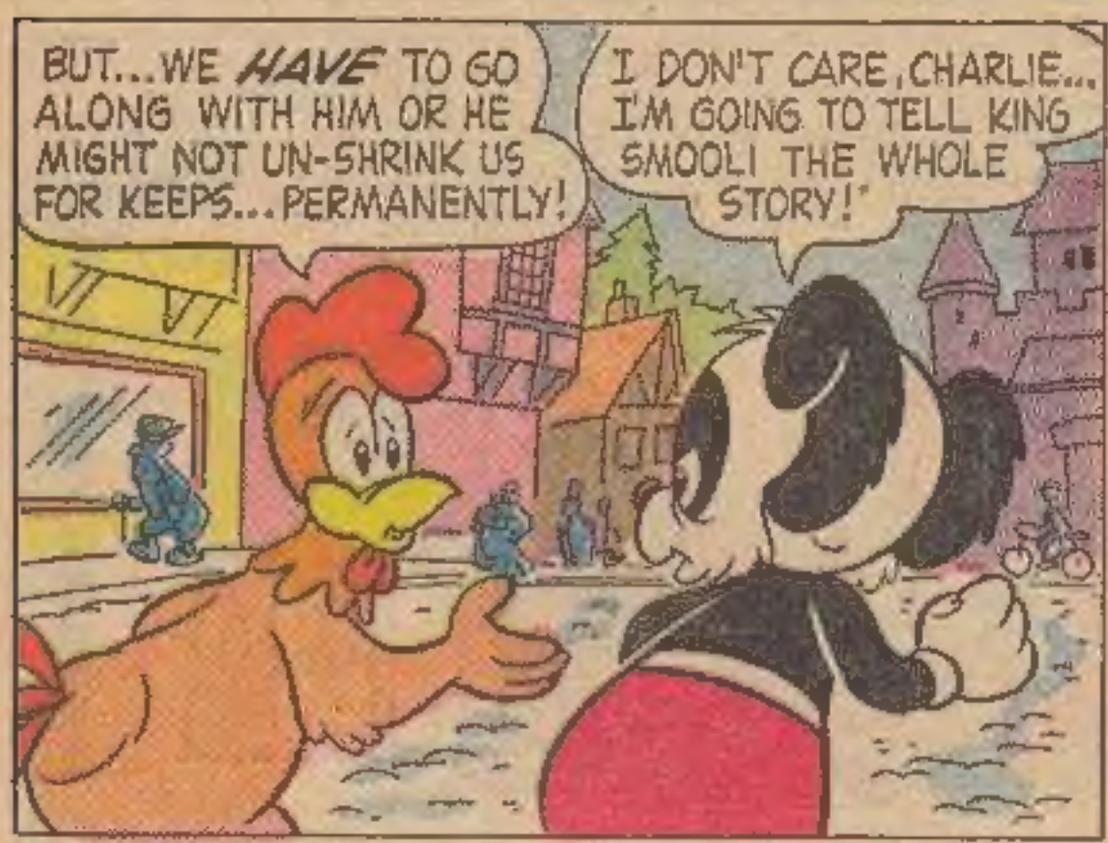
BETTER NOT TELL HIM WHAT IT IS ALL ABOUT, THOUGH! HE THINKS I AM JUST A PLAYBOY! HE WOULD NEVER BELIEVE I COULD MAKE A WONDERFUL SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY!
OKAY! I SUPPOSE HE'LL COME, JUST AS A FAVOR TO US!
JEEPERS! I HOPE SO!


HE HAD BETTER, MY FRIENDS... IF YOU EXPECT TO STAY UN-SHRUNK!
Y-YES, SIR... WE'LL BRING HIM!

HOHO! THIS IS GOING TO BE PERFECT! IF MY LITTLE ARRANGEMENT SCARES OLD KING SMOOLI AS MUCH AS IT DOES THOSE TWO...HE'LL AGREE TO ANYTHING!

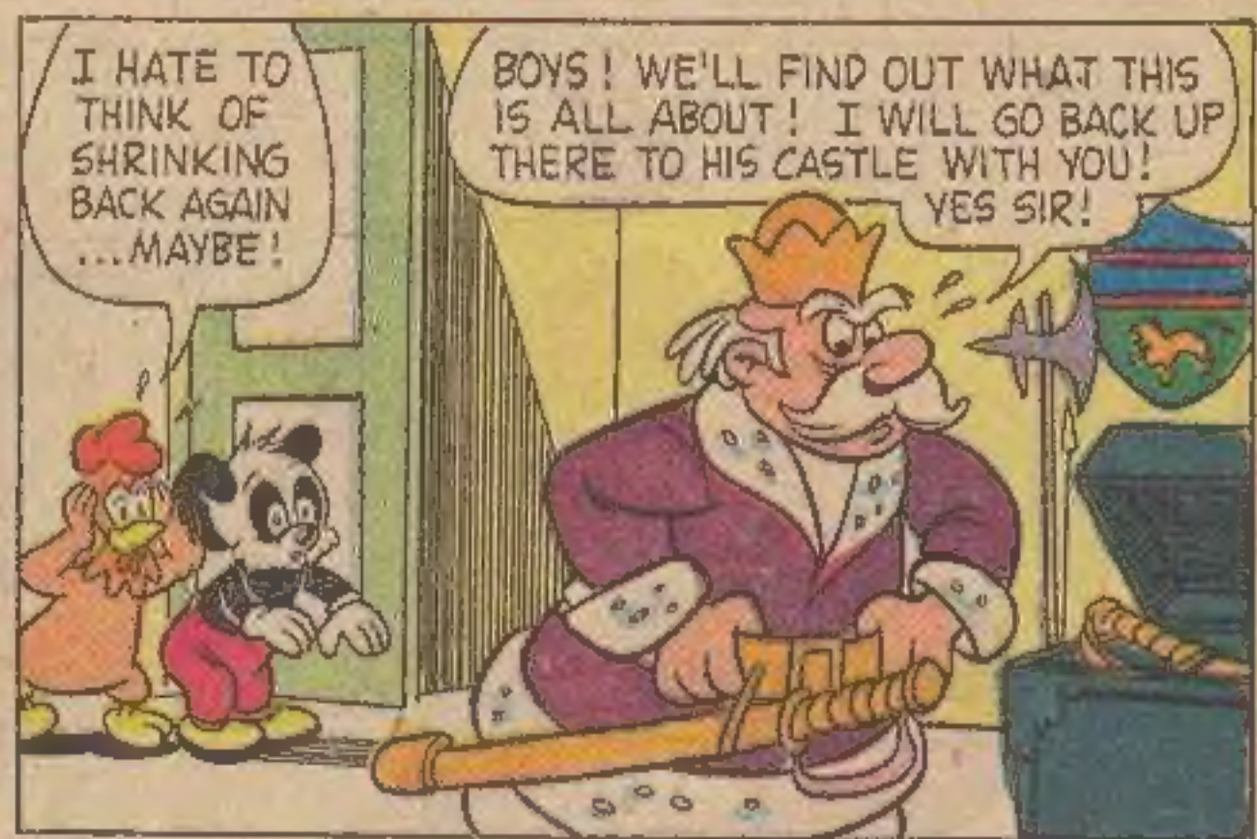
THANKS TO YOU, LITTLE PIGEONS...BEFORE THIS DAY IS OVER I SHALL BE LEAVING HAMGRAVIA FOREVER...WITH HALF THE ROYAL TREASURY!

BUT...BY THE TIME ANDY AND CHARLIE REACH THE VILLAGE...
CABLE RIDE
GOLLY, CHARLIE...I DON'T KNOW...THE MORE I THINK OF IT I JUST CAN'T SEEM TO SWALLOW THAT DUKE DIARIK'S LINE!


BUT...WE HAVE TO GO ALONG WITH HIM OR HE MIGHT NOT UN-SHRINK US FOR KEEPS...PERMANENTLY!
I DON'T CARE, CHARLIE... I'M GOING TO TELL KING SMOOLI THE WHOLE STORY!

BUT WHEN HE DOES...
A GREAT DISCOVERY BY THAT RASCAL DIARIK? SHRINKING GAS? OH, NOW, BOYS...PERHAPS OUR THIN MOUNTAIN AIR IS GIVING YOU DELUSIONS!

BUT IF IT DOESN'T REALLY WORK. HOW COULD HE EXPECT TO SHOW IT TO YOU?
I DON'T KNOW...BUT SHRINKING ANYTHING TO TOM THUMB SIZE IS IMPOSSIBLE! POSITIVELY ABSOLUTELY IMPOSSIBLE!


I HATE TO THINK OF SHRINKING BACK AGAIN ...MAYBE!
BOYS! WE'LL FIND OUT WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT! I WILL GO BACK UP THERE TO HIS CASTLE WITH YOU! YES SIR!

NO, THE BEST WAY TO FIND OUT WHAT HE'S UP TO, IS TO PRETEND AS IF WE'RE GOING ALONG WITH HIS SCHEME... WHATEVER IT IS!

BESIDES, THERE'S MORE ADVENTURE IN IT THIS WAY! HO, HO...THE SPIRIT OF MY DAUNTLESS ANCESTORS! COME LEAP ABOARD OUR FIERY CHARGER, LADS!

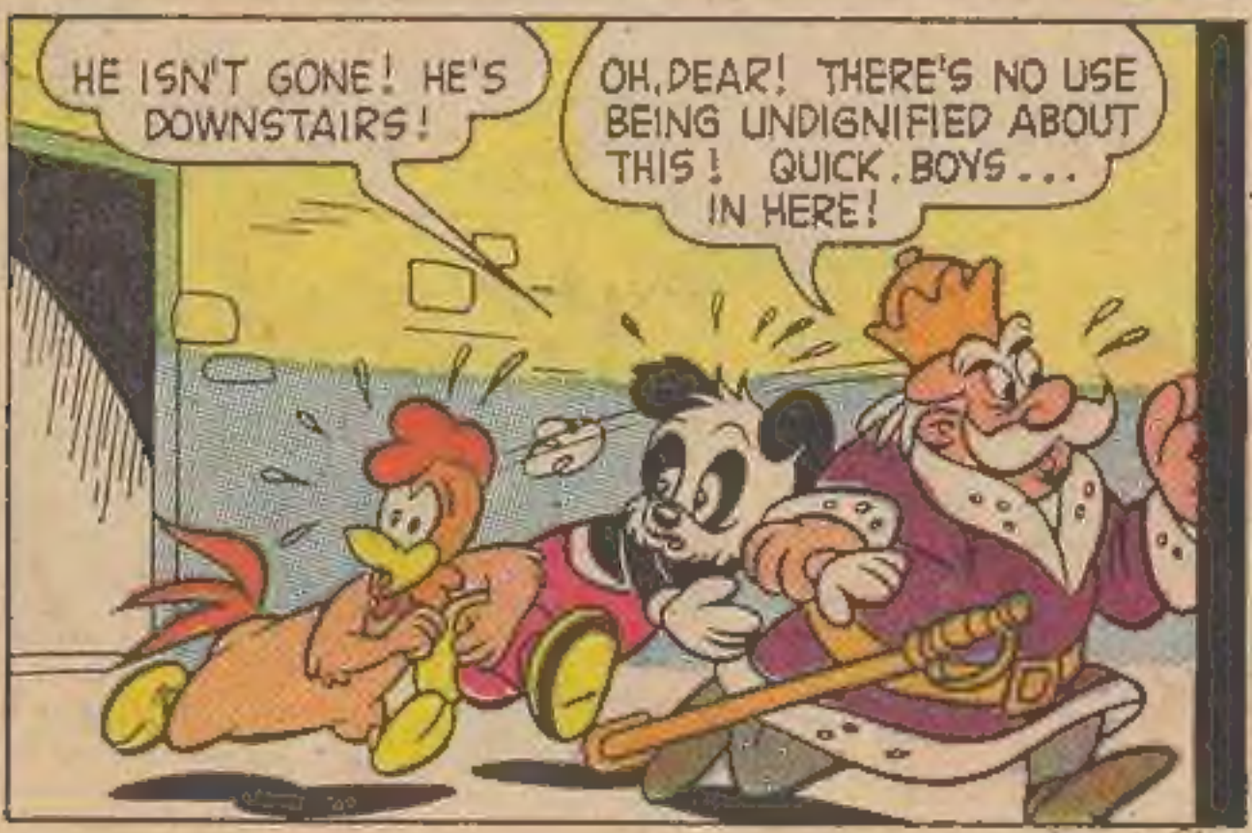
THEY ARRIVE AT THE CASTLE...
MAYBE HE'S OUT! MAYBE HE DIDN'T EXPECT US BACK THIS SOON!
HMMM... HE DOESN'T ANSWER!
KNOCK! KNOCK! KNOCK!

GEE! THE DOOR ISN'T LOCKED!
AH! THIS IS LUCK! PERHAPS WE CAN GET A LINE ON WHAT HE'S UP TO... BEFORE HE RETURNS!

BUT YOUR MAJESTY ...IT'S NOT EXACTLY RIGHT TO...
TUT TUT! YOU KNOW THE OLD SAYING... THE KING CAN DO NO WRONG!

LOOK OUT!
CLANK!
OOPS! WELL, HARDLY ANYTHING WRONG AT LEAST!

WHO IS UP THERE?
SSSSS


HE ISN'T GONE! HE'S DOWNSTAIRS!
OH, DEAR! THERE'S NO USE BEING UNDIGNIFIED ABOUT THIS! QUICK, BOYS... IN HERE!

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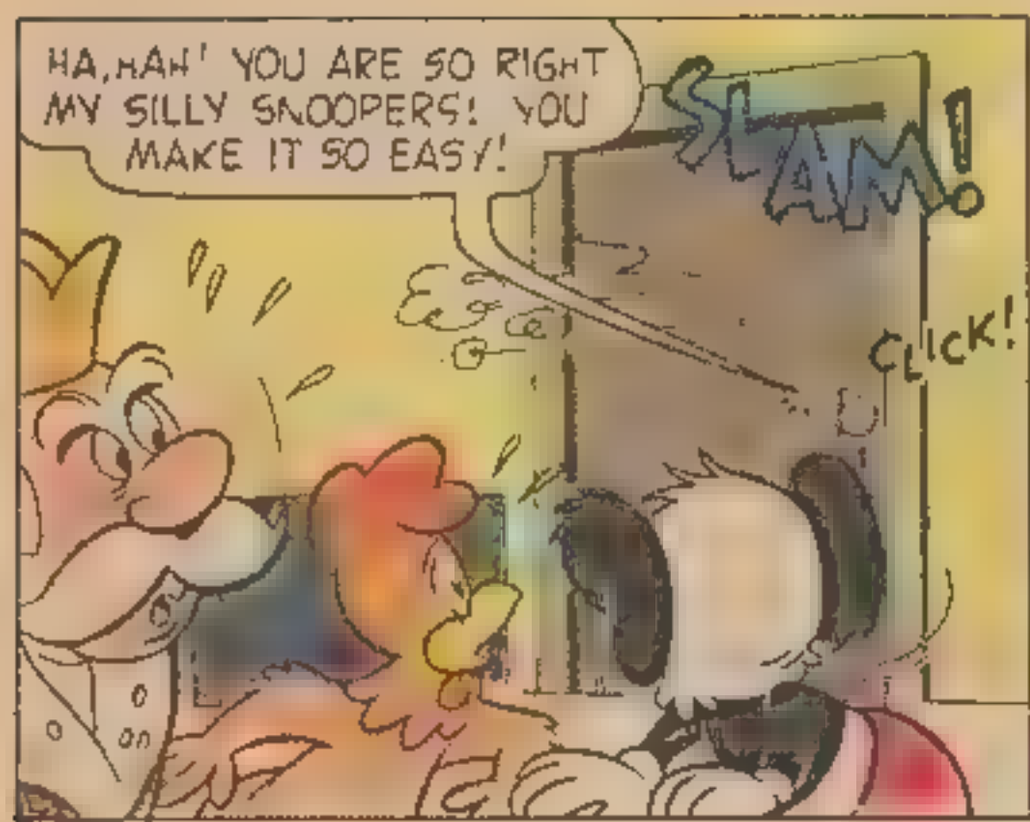
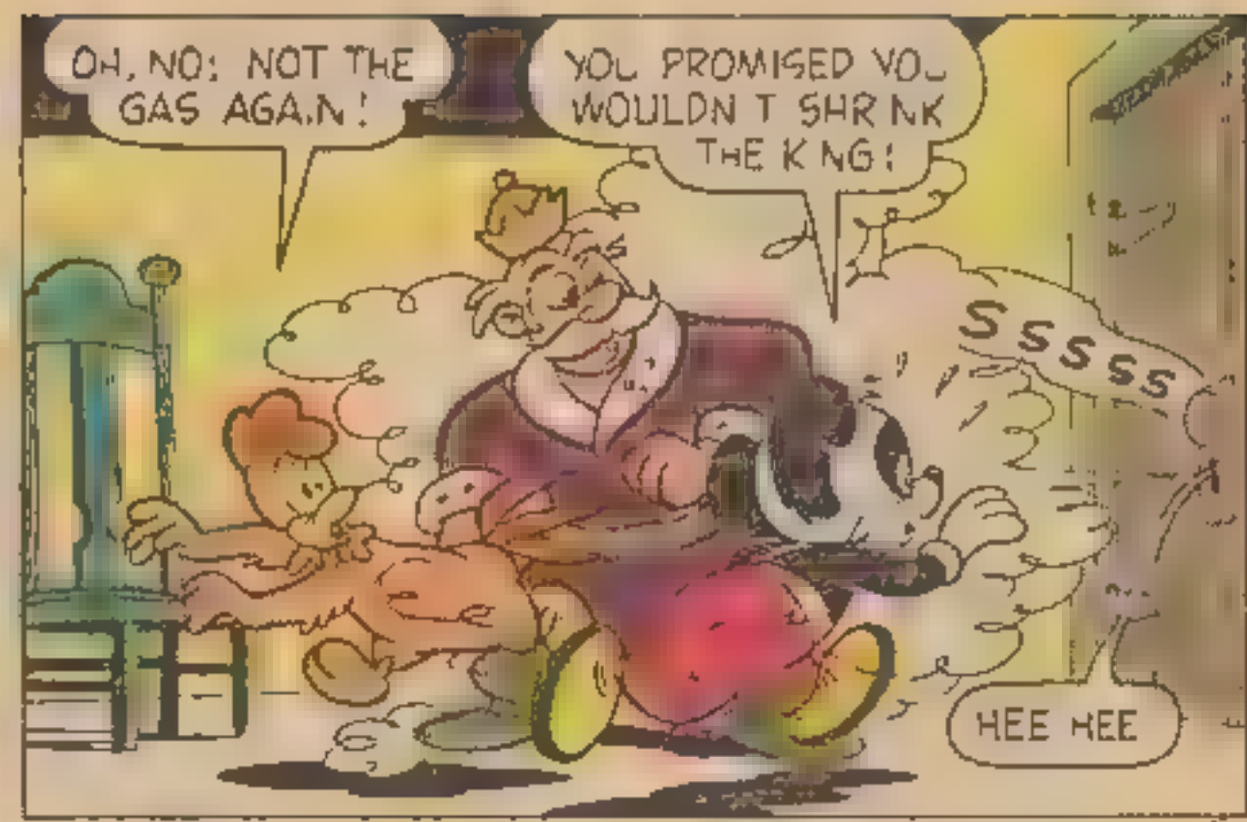
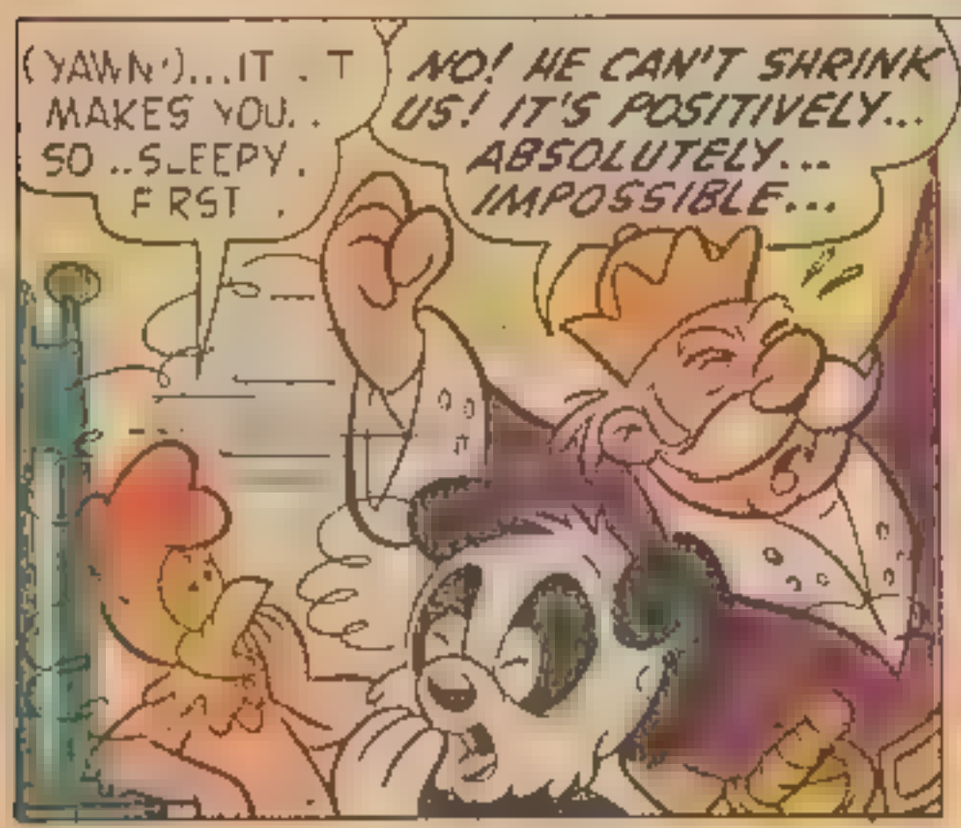
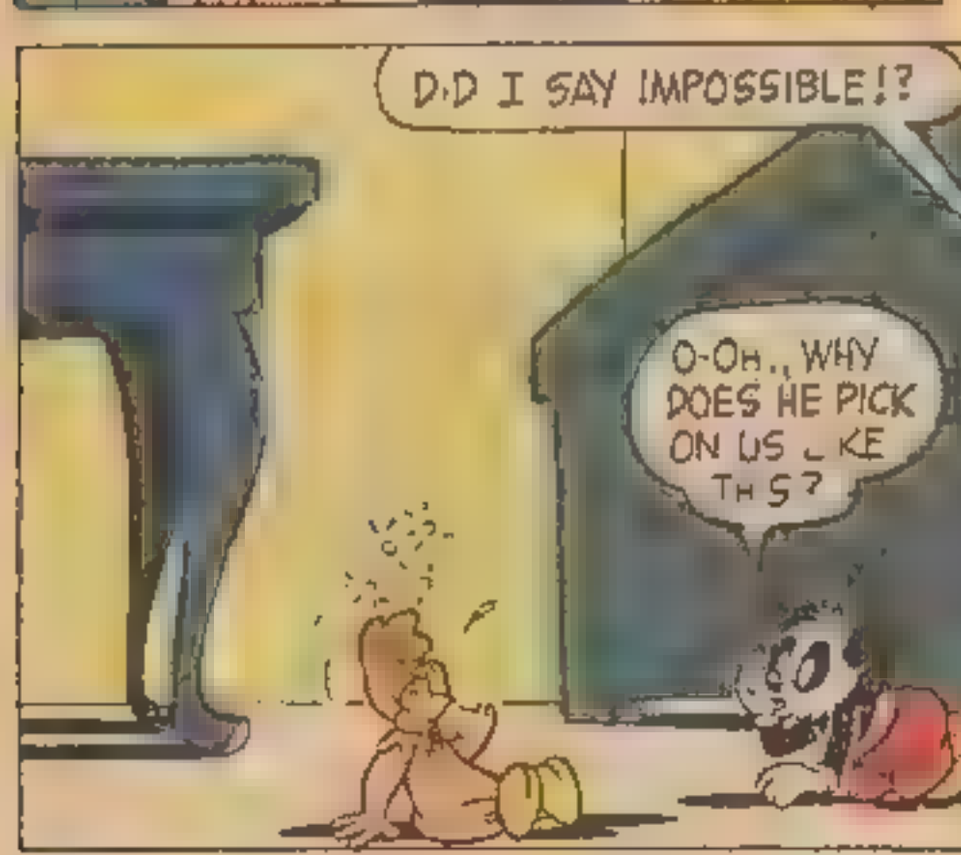
OH, NO! WAIT, KING! I THINK THIS IS THE SAME ROOM HE LOCKED US IN BEFORE!

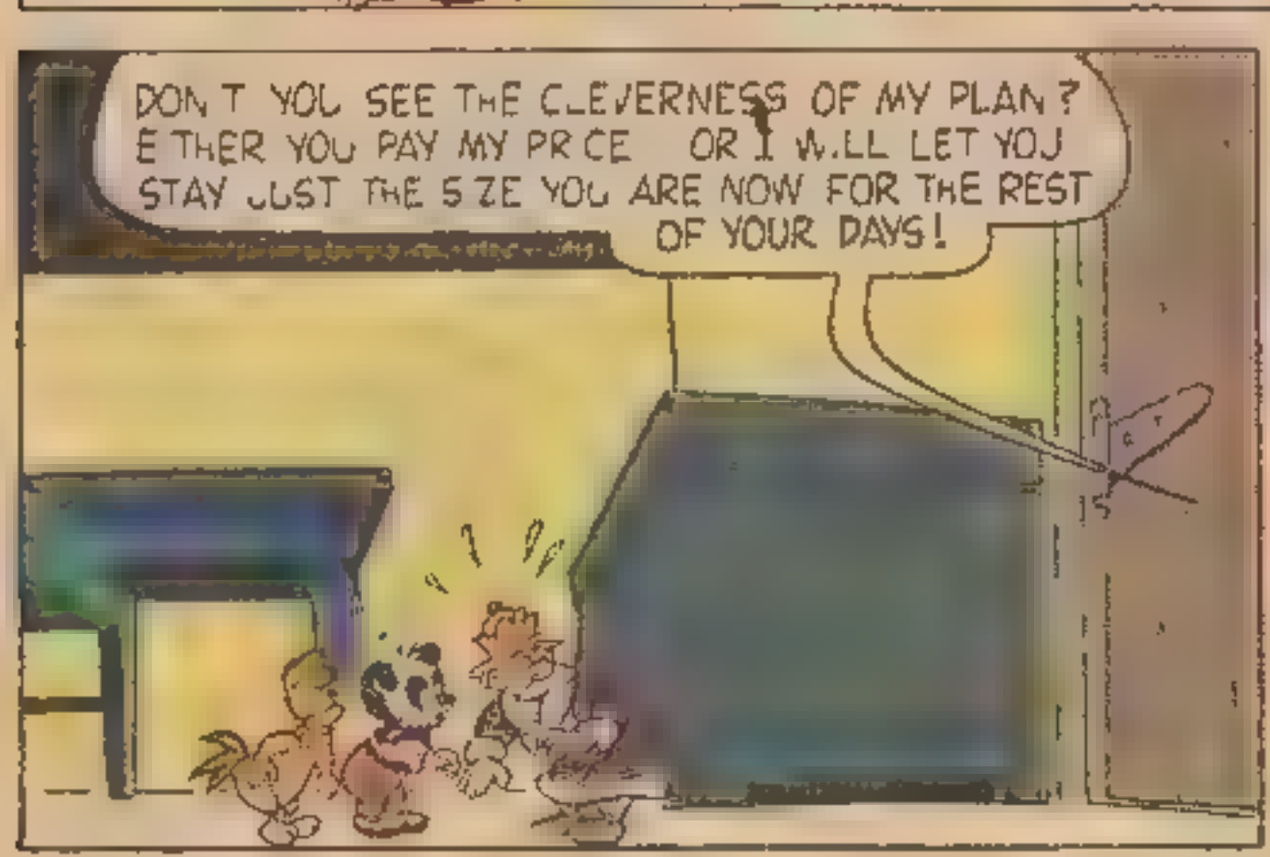

HA, HAH! YOU ARE SO RIGHT MY SILLY SNOOPERS! YOU MAKE IT SO EASY!
SLAM!
CLICK!

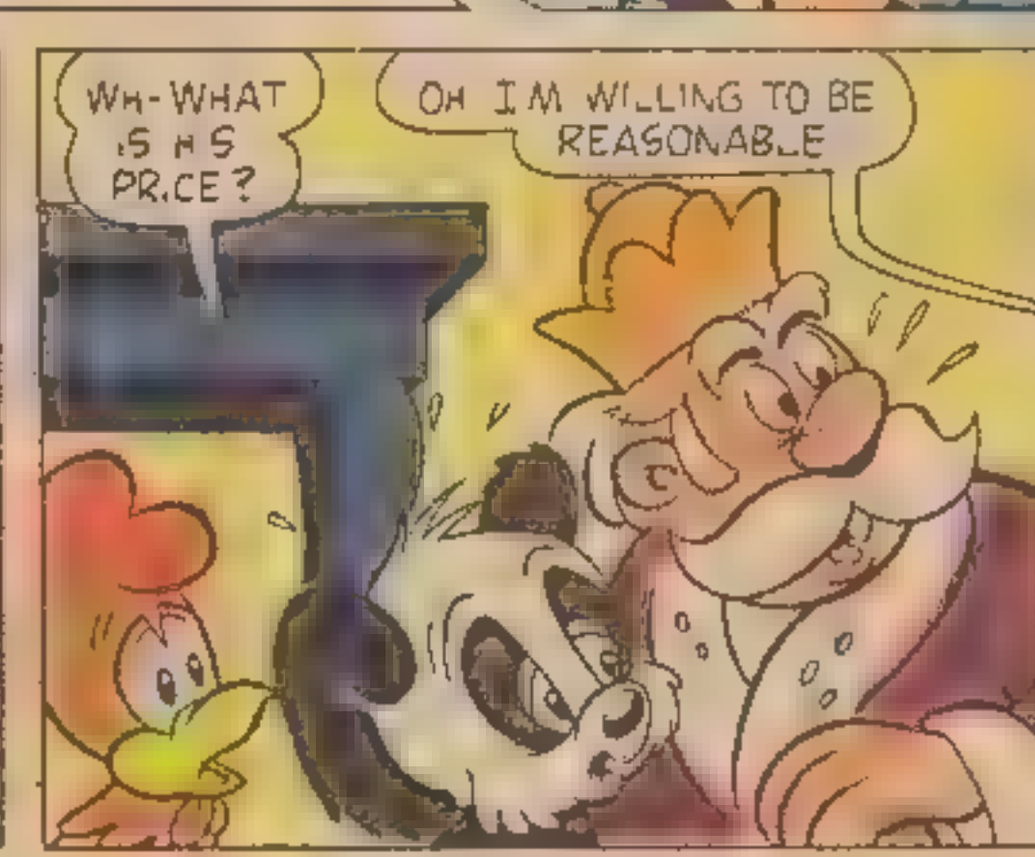

OH, NO: NOT THE GAS AGAIN!
YOU PROMISED YOU WOULDN'T SHRINK THE KING!
SSSSS
HEE HEE


(YAWN)...IT'S MAKES YOU... SO...SLEEPY, FIRST...
NO! HE CAN'T SHRINK US! IT'S POSITIVELY... ABSOLUTELY... IMPOSSIBLE...

THEN THEY ALL FALL ASLEEP, AND WHEN THEY AWAKEN...
HEH HEH.
THE ANSWER IS EASY. IT PUTS ME IN SUCH A FAVORABLE BARGAINING POSITION, YOUR HIGHNESS! I PLAN TO LEAVE HAMGRAVIA FOREVER.. HEH..BUT FIRST I AM GOING TO SELL YOU THIS WORTHLESS OLD CASTLE!


DID I SAY IMPOSSIBLE!?
O-OH.. WHY DOES HE PICK ON US LIKE THIS?


DON'T YOU SEE THE CLEVERNESS OF MY PLAN? EITHER YOU PAY MY PRICE OR I WILL LET YOU STAY JUST THE SIZE YOU ARE NOW FOR THE REST OF YOUR DAYS!


WH-WHAT IS HIS PRICE?
OH I'M WILLING TO BE REASONABLE

SIGN THIS CHECK FOR TWO HUNDRED MILLION PIAZEROS AND WE WILL CONSIDER THE DEAL CLOSED!

ER...FOR CONVENIENCE, I REDUCED THE CHECK TO YOUR SIZE YOU WILL NOTICE!

BUT TWO HUNDRED MILLION PIAZEROS! THAT'S HALF THE ROYAL TREASURY! I CAN'T PAY YOU THIS MUCH! I WON'T!

OMIGOSH!

IF YOU DON'T... I'LL HAVE TO LEAVE YOU JUST AS YOU ARE!

GOLLY. IT SOUNDS LIKE A LOT OF MONEY, KING SMOOLI... BUT HAMGRAVIA NEEDS YOU.. *FULL SIZE!*

TRUE: I HAVEN'T MUCH CHOICE!

I'LL SIGN IT!

THERE YOU ARE, YOU RASCAL! NOW LET US OUT OF HERE AND UNSHRINK US IMMEDIATELY!

AH.

I'M RICH ..RICH I'LL CASH THIS AT THE ROYAL BANK AND BE ACROSS THE BORDER BEFORE YOU CAN SAY "HIP HIP HAMGRAVIA"!

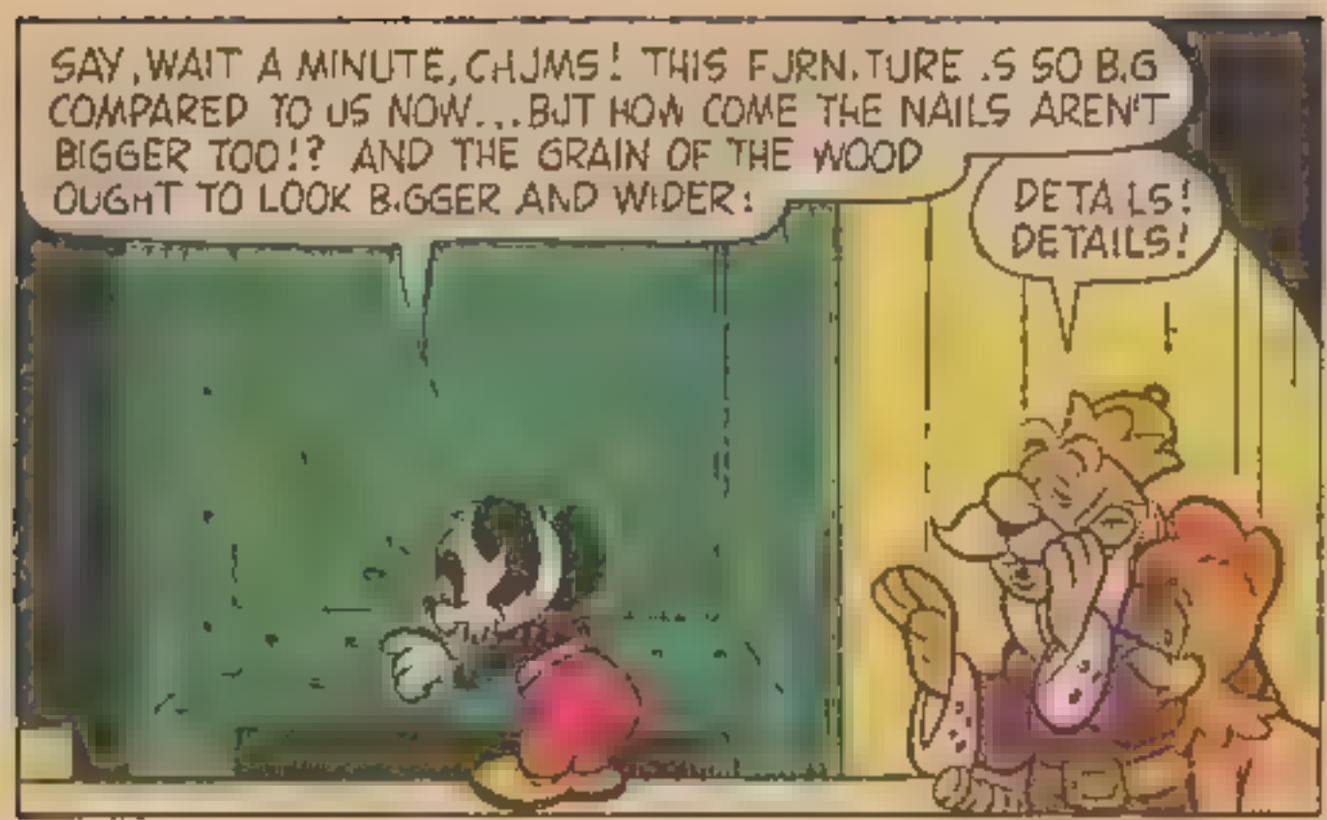
YOU HAVE TO UNSHRINK US FIRST! YOU PROMISED!

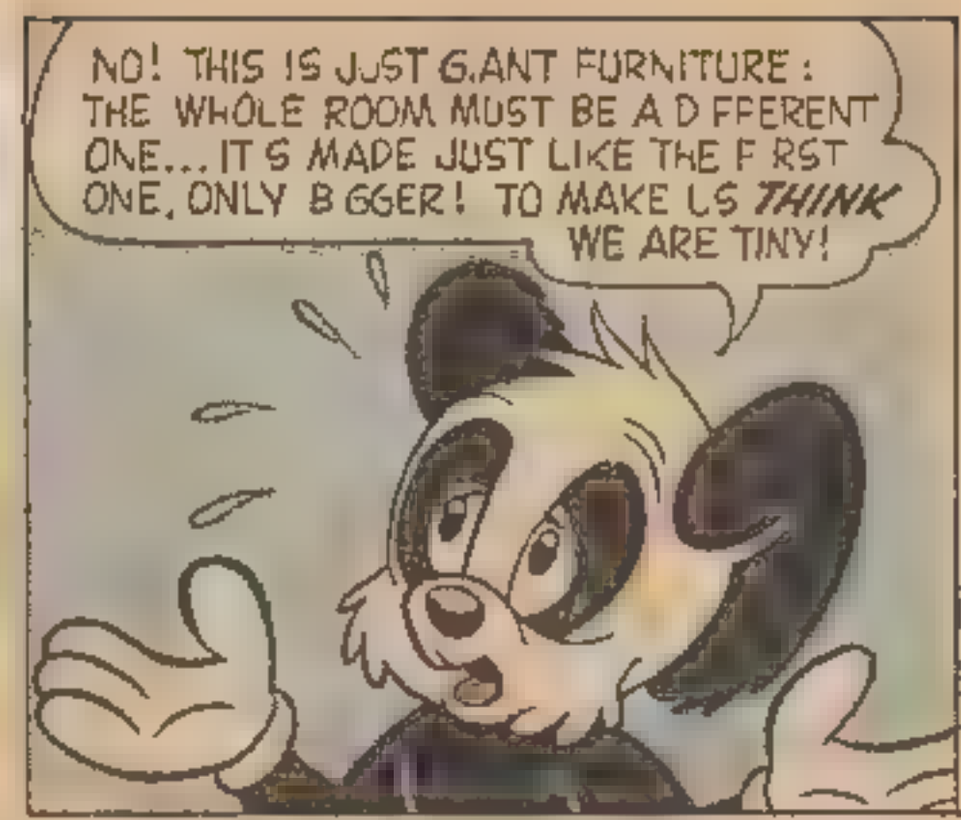
LET US OUT OF HERE

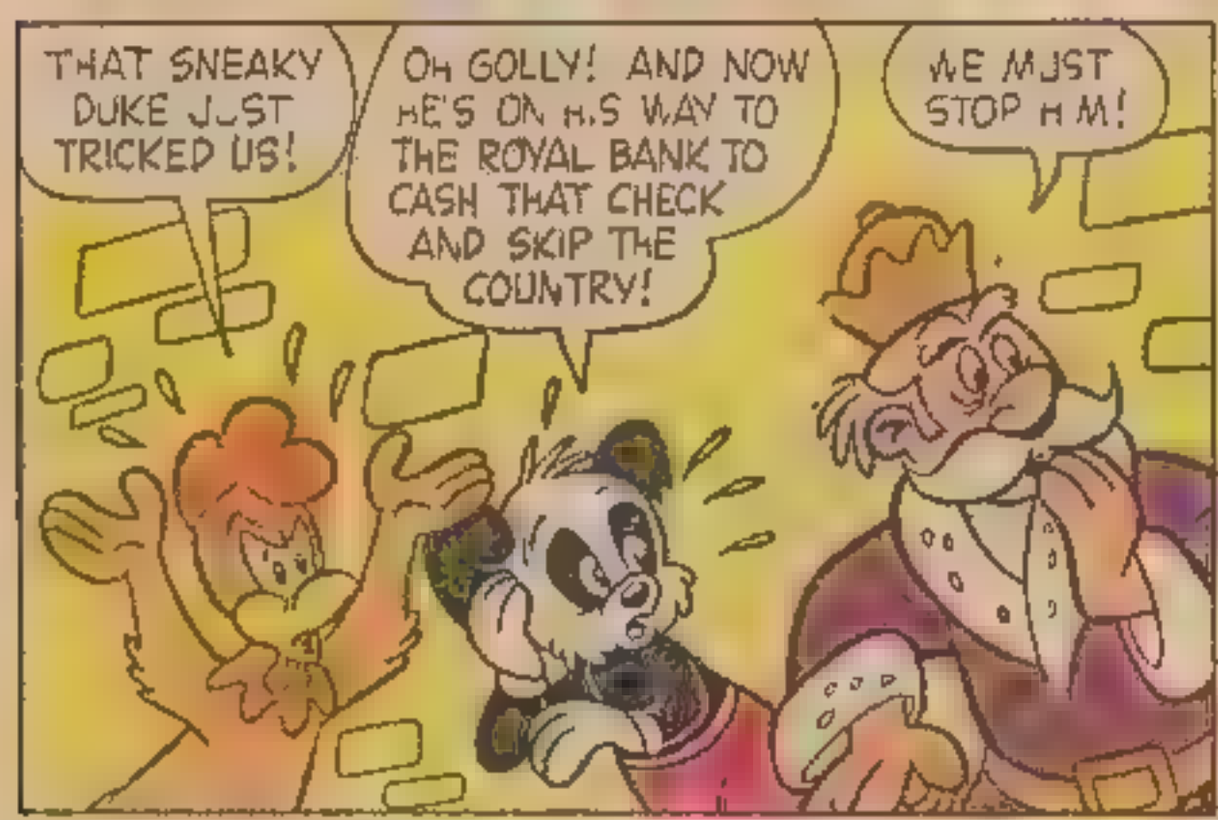
UNSHRINK US!

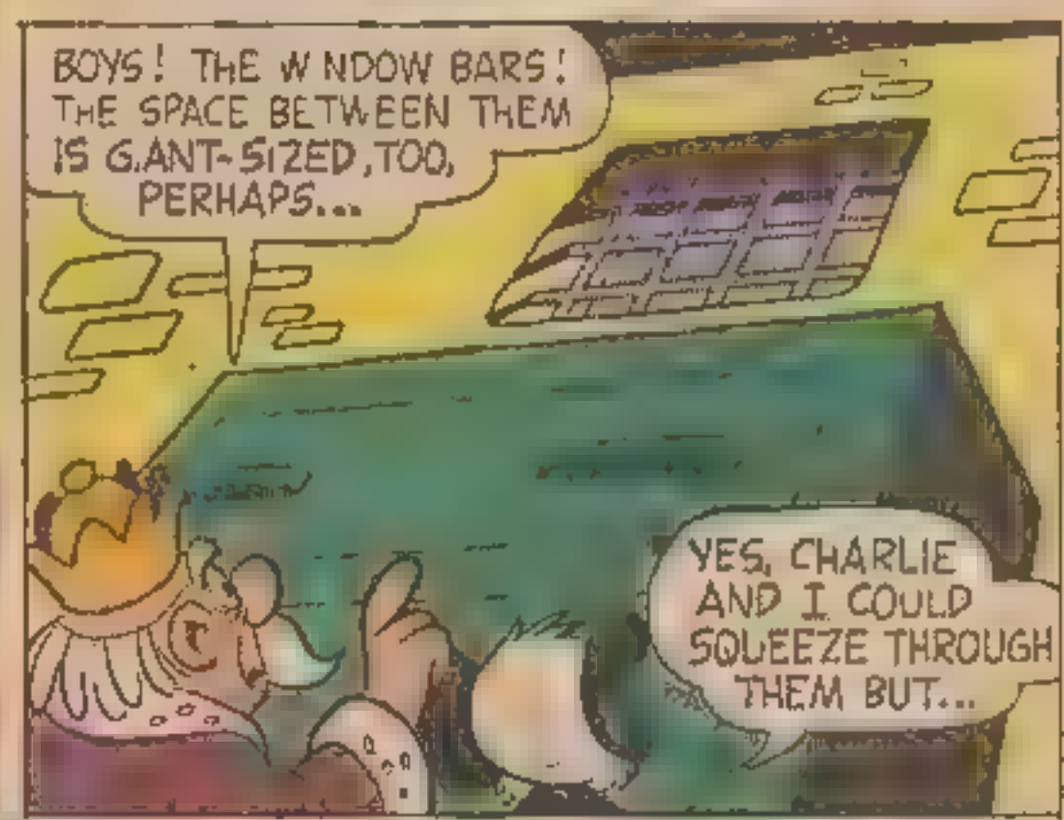
THUMP! THUMP!

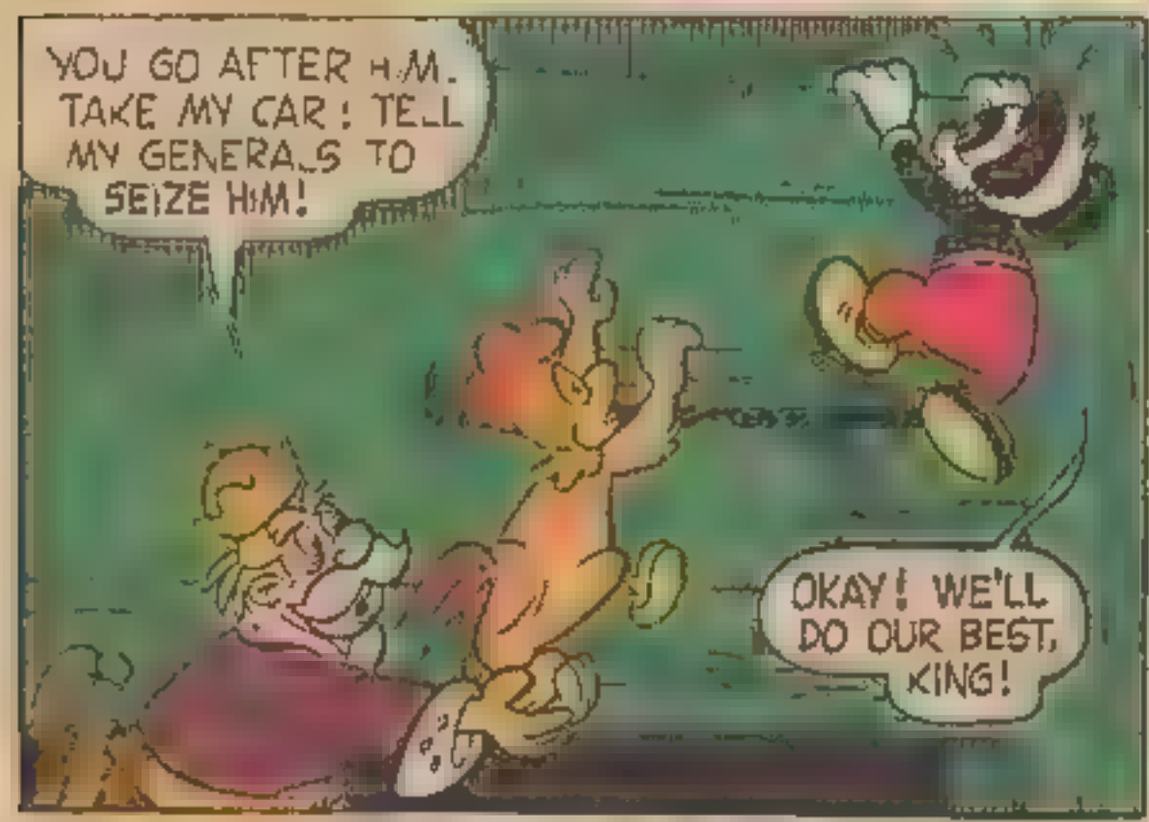
TA TA-AH! YOU'LL GET OUT SOME DAY! HA.HA... AND YOU'RE AS BIG RIGHT NOW AS YOU'RE EVER GOING TO BE!

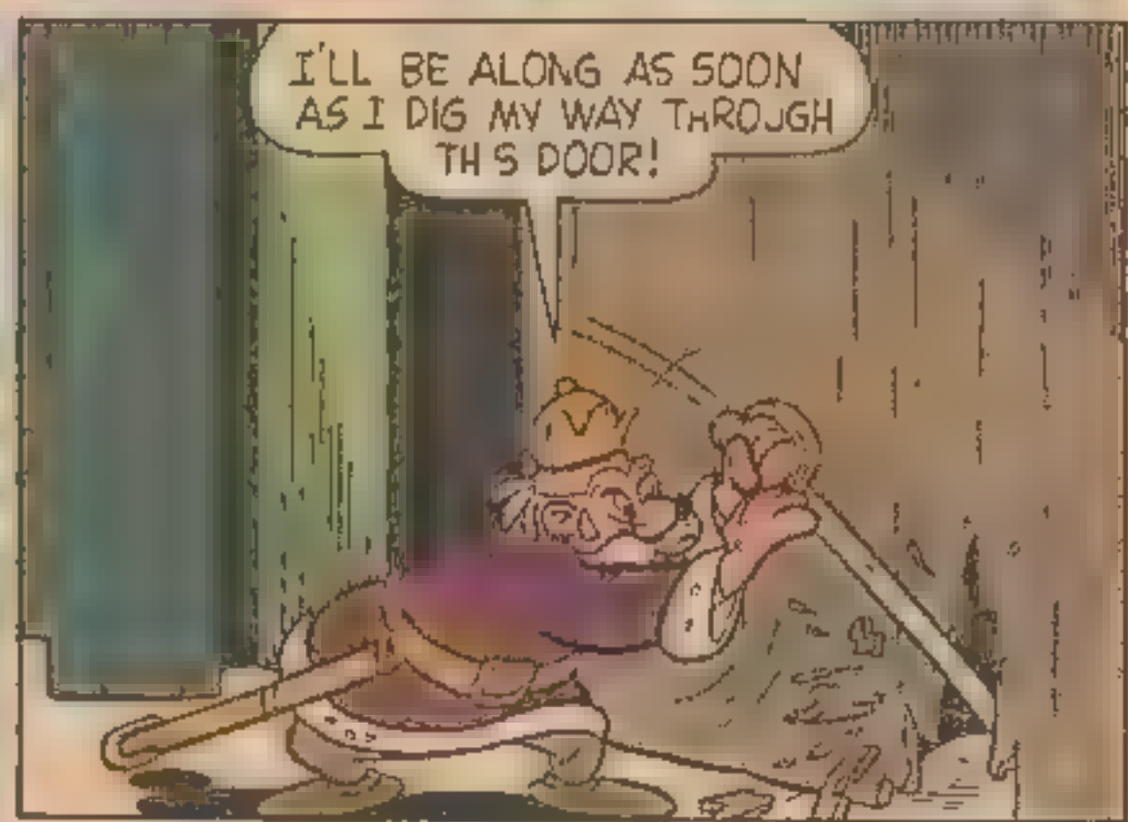

SAY, WAIT A MINUTE, CHUMS! THIS FURNITURE IS SO BIG COMPARED TO US NOW... BUT HOW COME THE NAILS AREN'T BIGGER TOO!? AND THE GRAIN OF THE WOOD OUGHT TO LOOK BIGGER AND WIDER:
DETAILS! DETAILS!

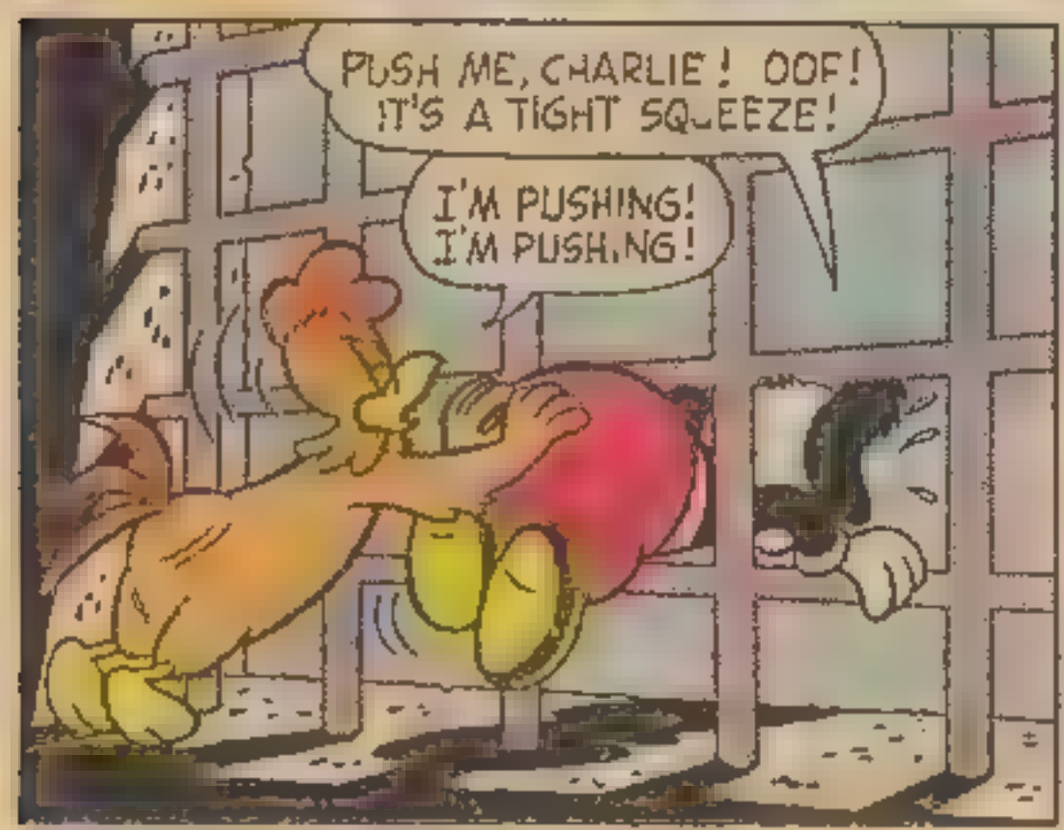

NO! THIS IS JUST GIANT FURNITURE: THE WHOLE ROOM MUST BE A DIFFERENT ONE... IT'S MADE JUST LIKE THE FIRST ONE, ONLY BIGGER! TO MAKE US *THINK* WE ARE TINY!

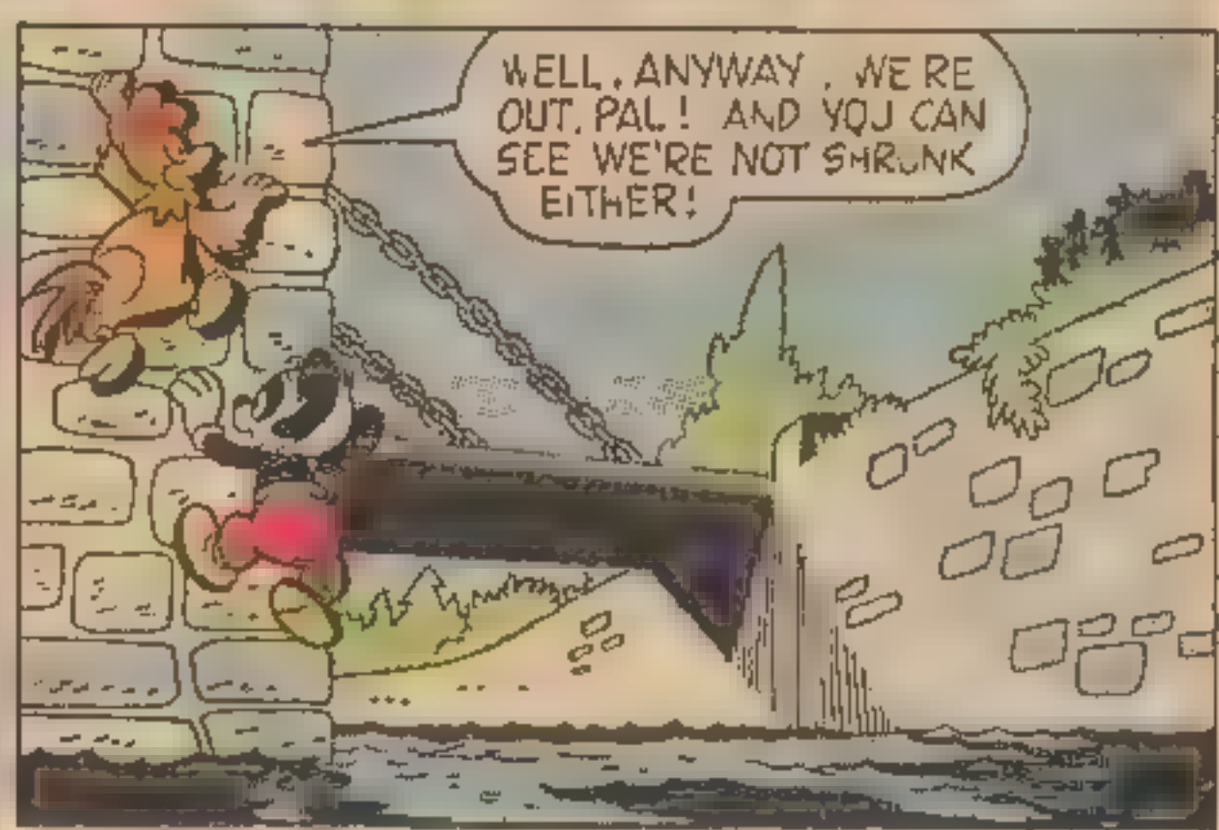

THAT SNEAKY DUKE JUST TRICKED US!
OH GOLLY! AND NOW HE'S ON HIS WAY TO THE ROYAL BANK TO CASH THAT CHECK AND SKIP THE COUNTRY!
WE MUST STOP HIM!

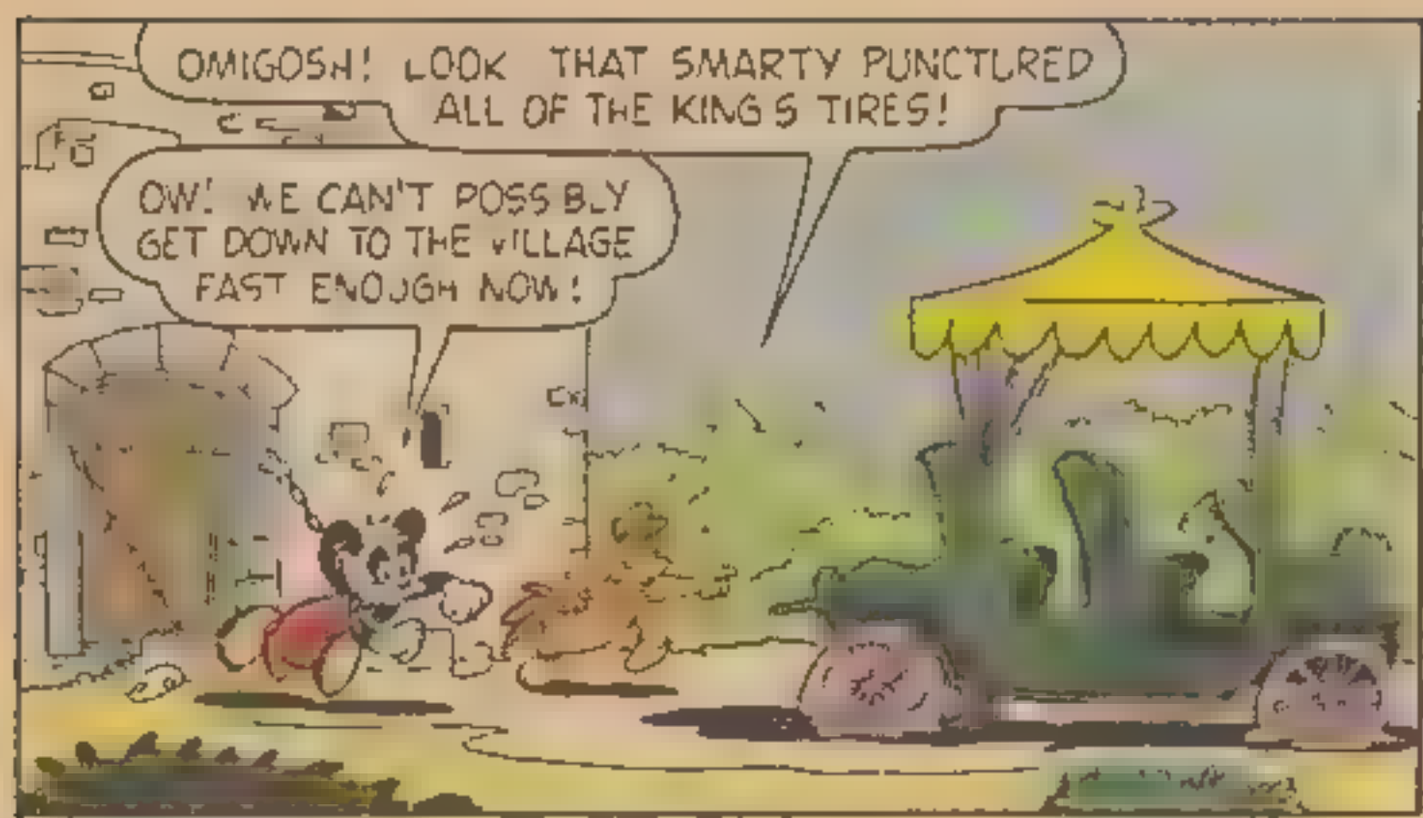

BOYS! THE WINDOW BARS! THE SPACE BETWEEN THEM IS GIANT-SIZED, TOO, PERHAPS...
YES, CHARLIE AND I COULD SQUEEZE THROUGH THEM BUT...

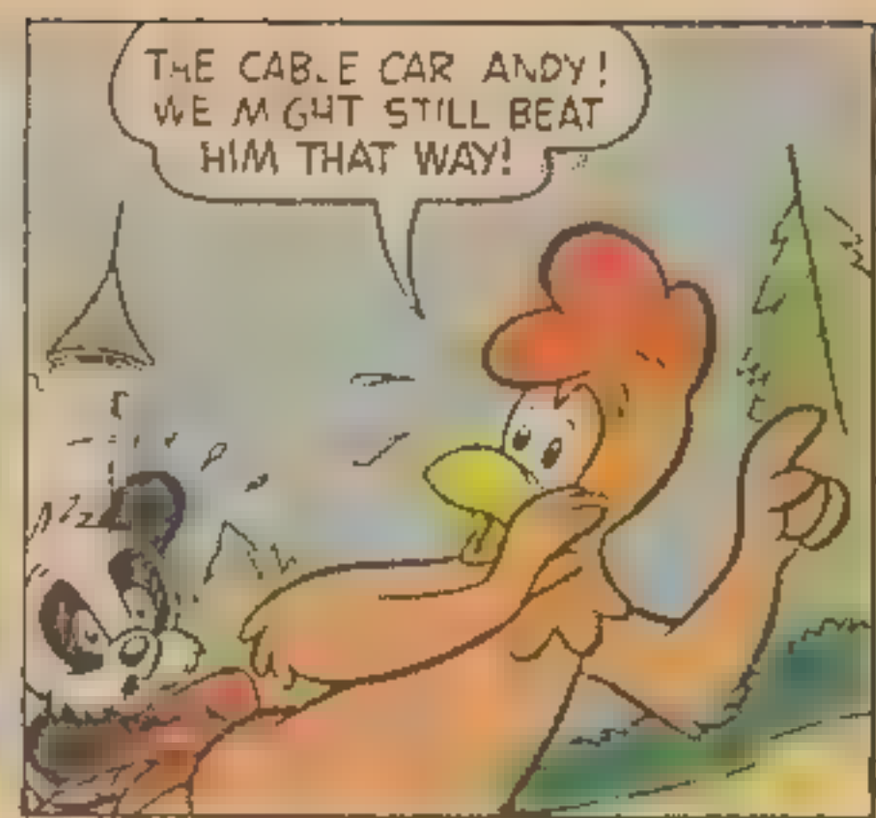

YOU GO AFTER HIM. TAKE MY CAR: TELL MY GENERALS TO SEIZE HIM!
OKAY! WE'LL DO OUR BEST, KING!

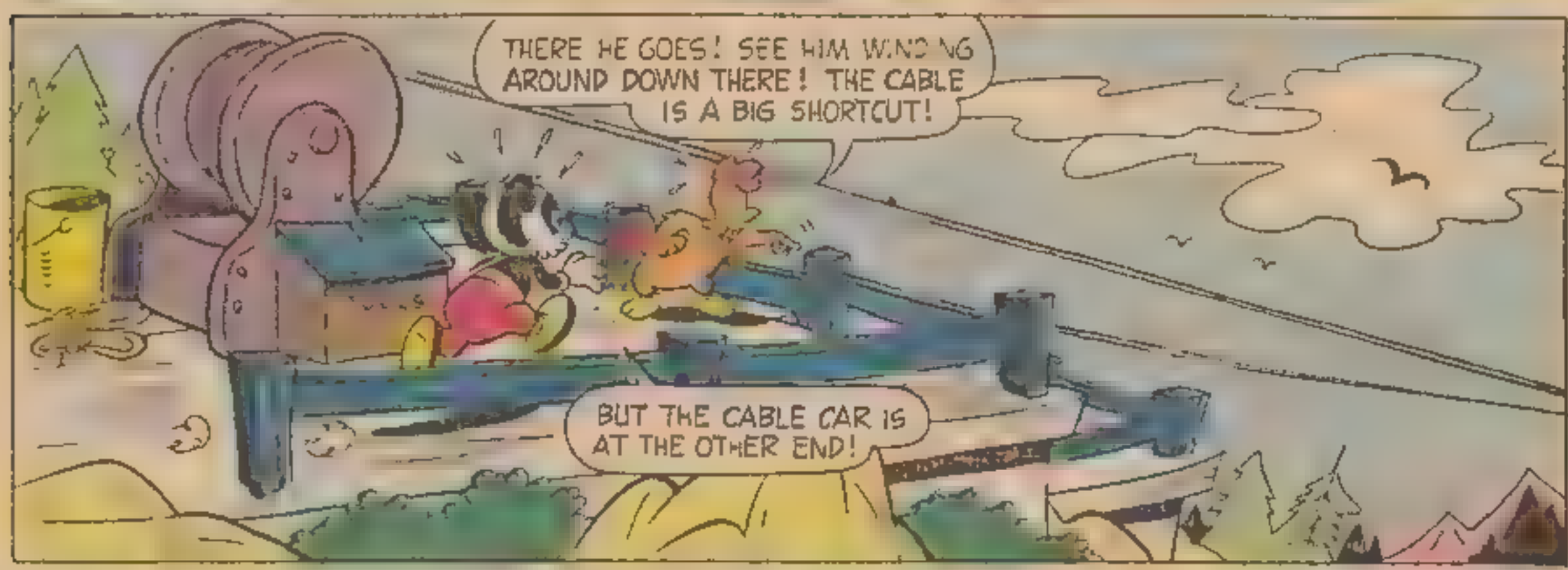

I'LL BE ALONG AS SOON AS I DIG MY WAY THROUGH THIS DOOR!

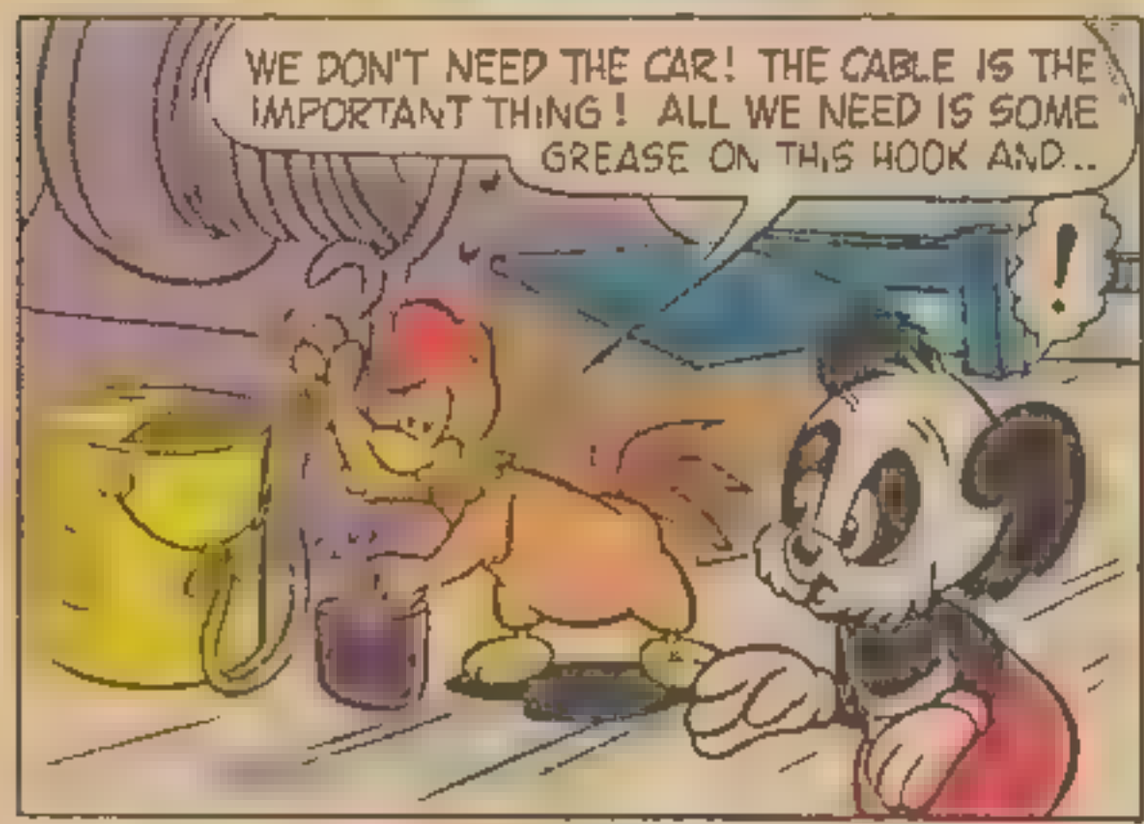

PUSH ME, CHARLIE! OOF! IT'S A TIGHT SQUEEZE!
I'M PUSHING! I'M PUSHING!


WELL, ANYWAY, WE'RE OUT, PAL! AND YOU CAN SEE WE'RE NOT SHRUNK EITHER!


OMIGOSH! LOOK THAT SMARTY PUNCTURED ALL OF THE KING'S TIRES!
OW! WE CAN'T POSSIBLY GET DOWN TO THE VILLAGE FAST ENOUGH NOW!


THE CABLE CAR ANDY! WE MIGHT STILL BEAT HIM THAT WAY!


THERE HE GOES! SEE HIM WINDING AROUND DOWN THERE! THE CABLE IS A BIG SHORTCUT!
BUT THE CABLE CAR IS AT THE OTHER END!


WE DON'T NEED THE CAR! THE CABLE IS THE IMPORTANT THING! ALL WE NEED IS SOME GREASE ON THIS HOOK AND...
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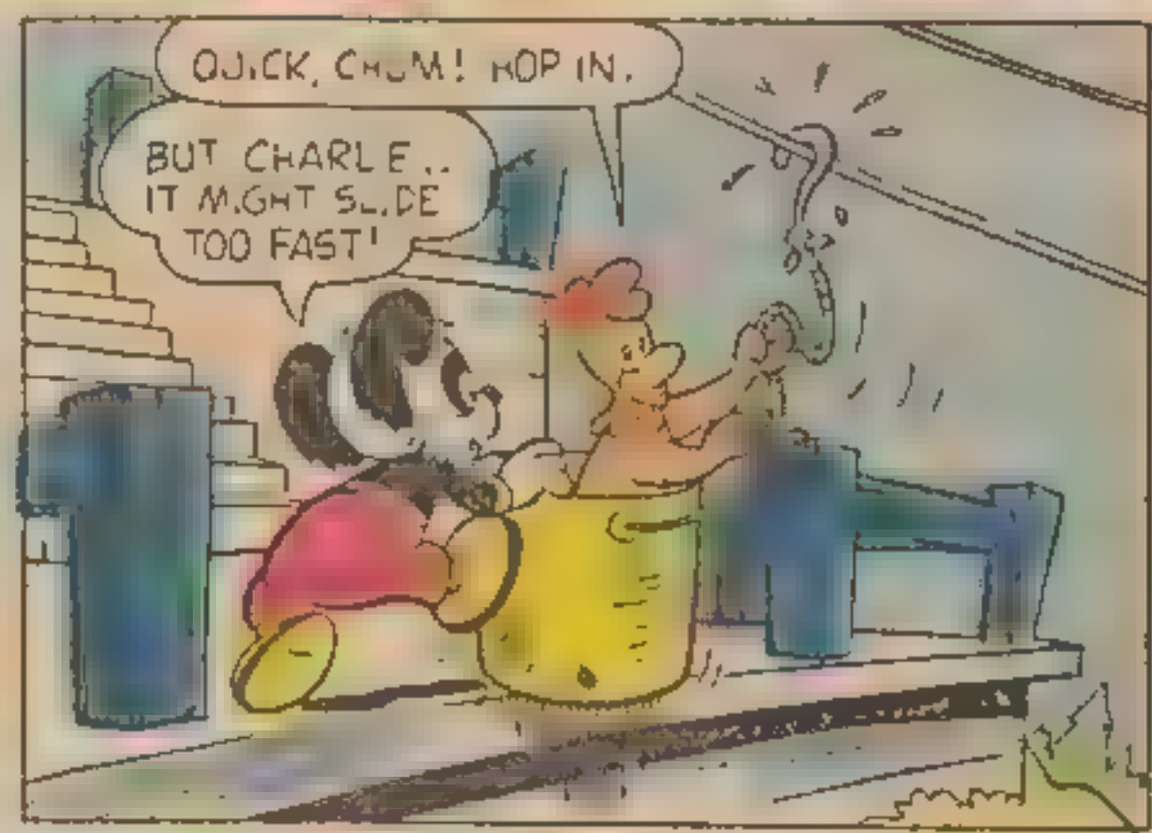
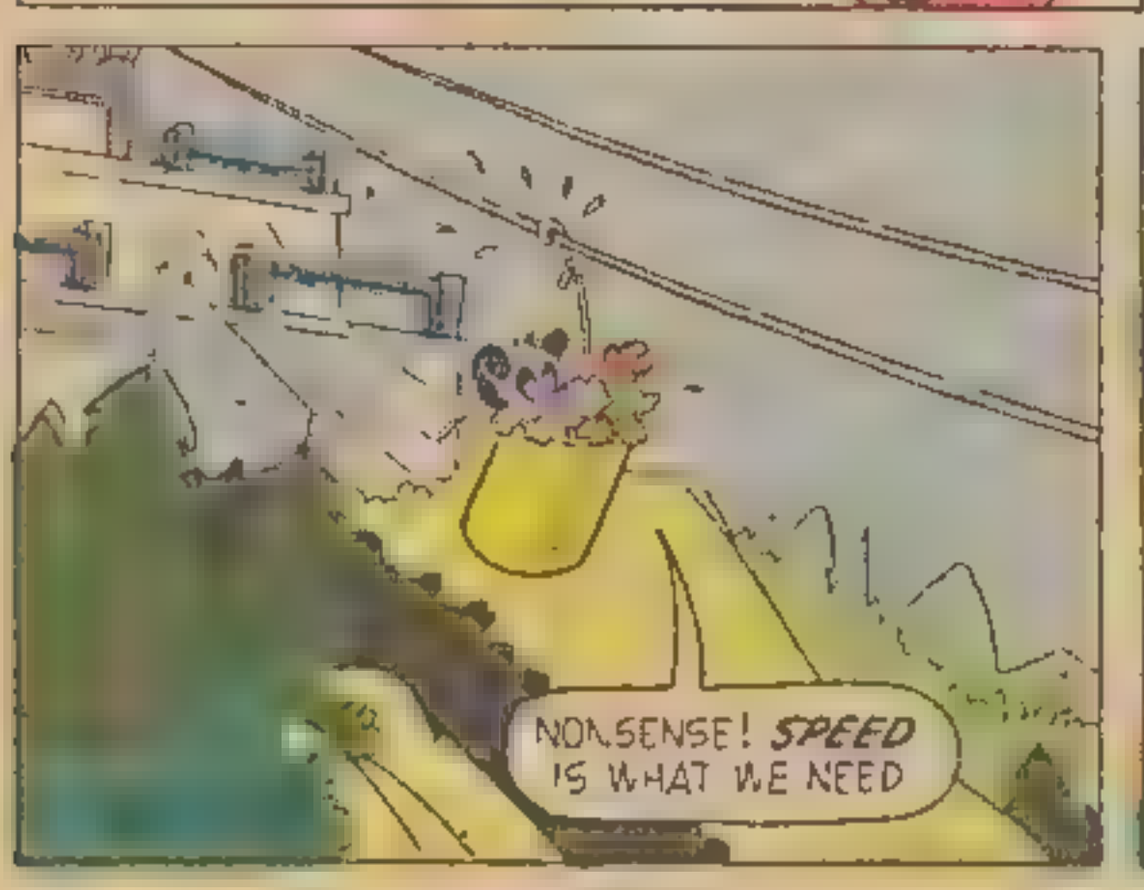
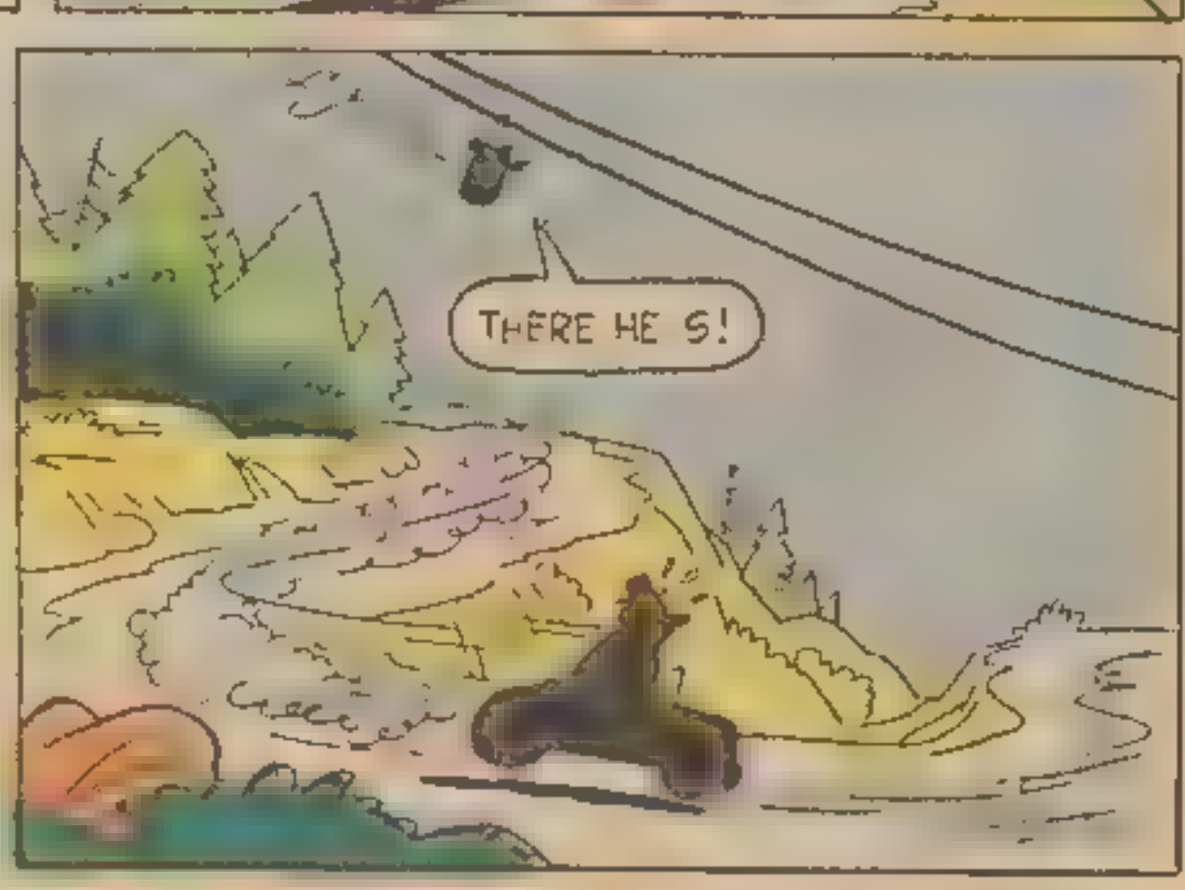

QUICK, CHUM! HOP IN.
BUT CHARLIE.. IT MIGHT SLIDE TOO FAST!


NONSENSE! SPEED IS WHAT WE NEED


THERE HE'S!

ANDY! I GOT ANOTHER BRIGHT IDEA!
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PECK! PECK!
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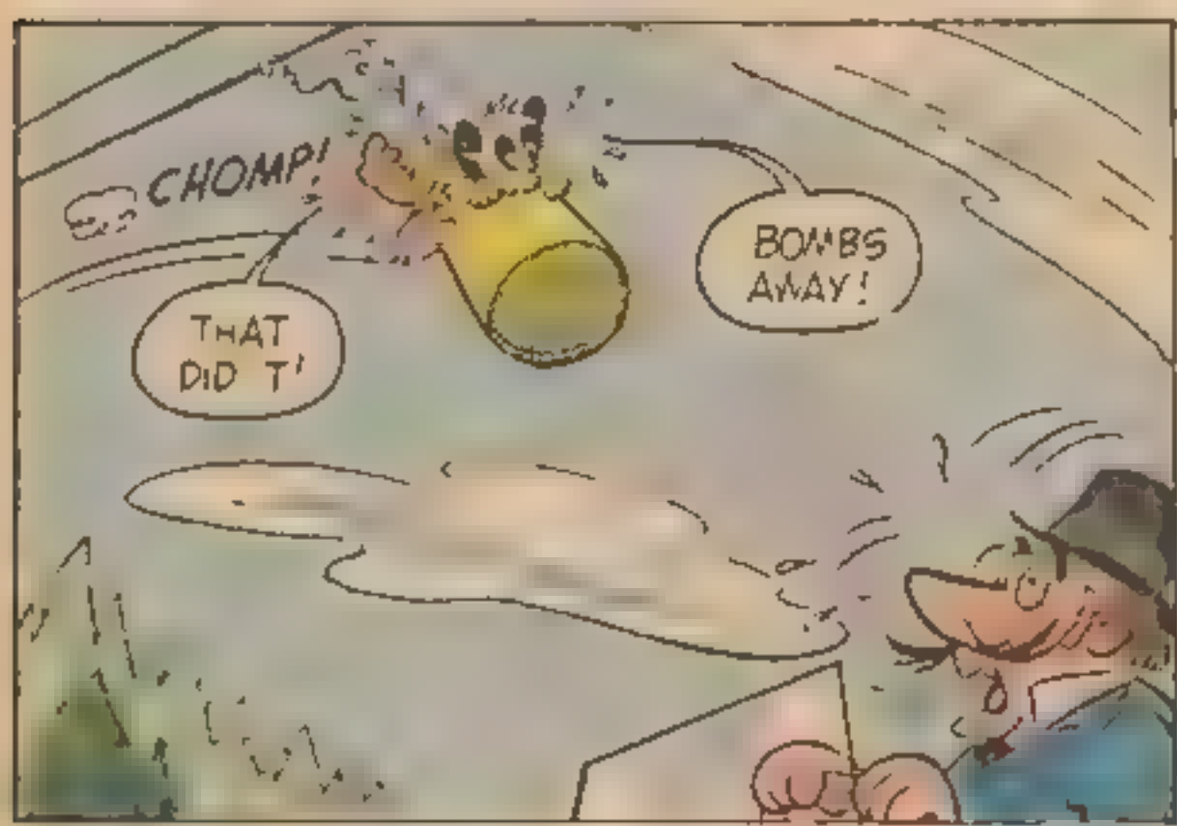
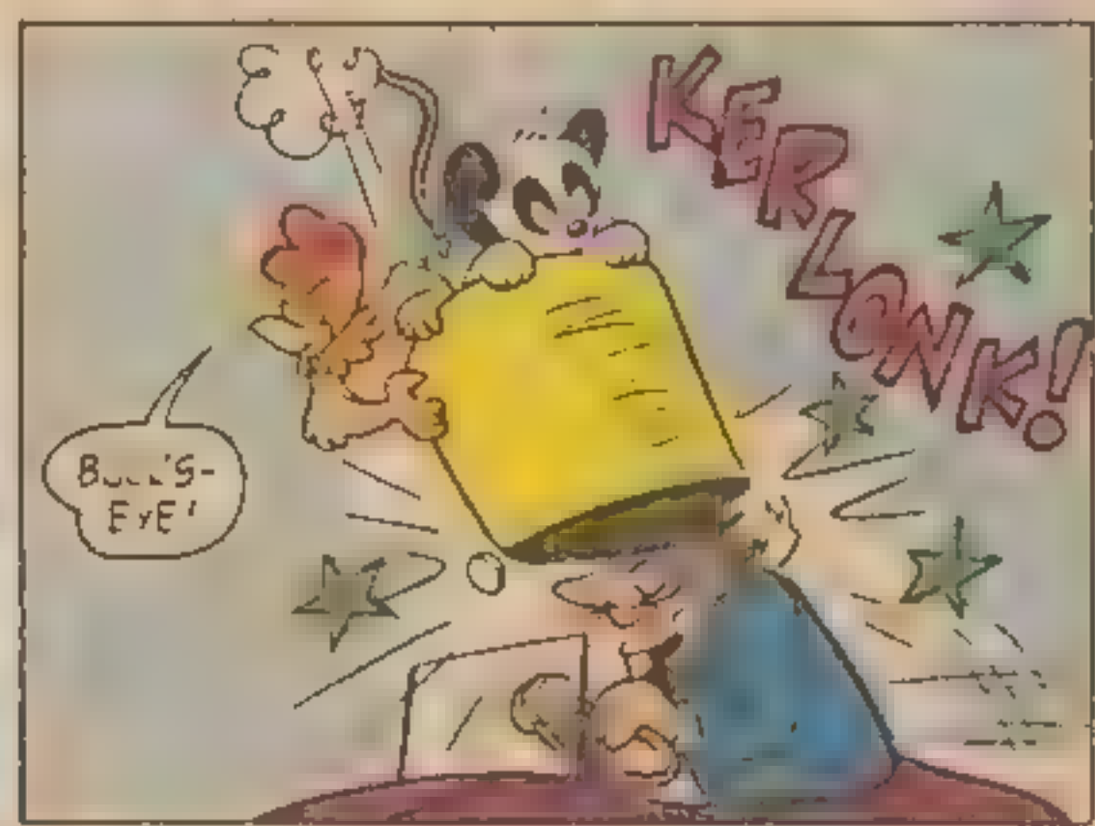
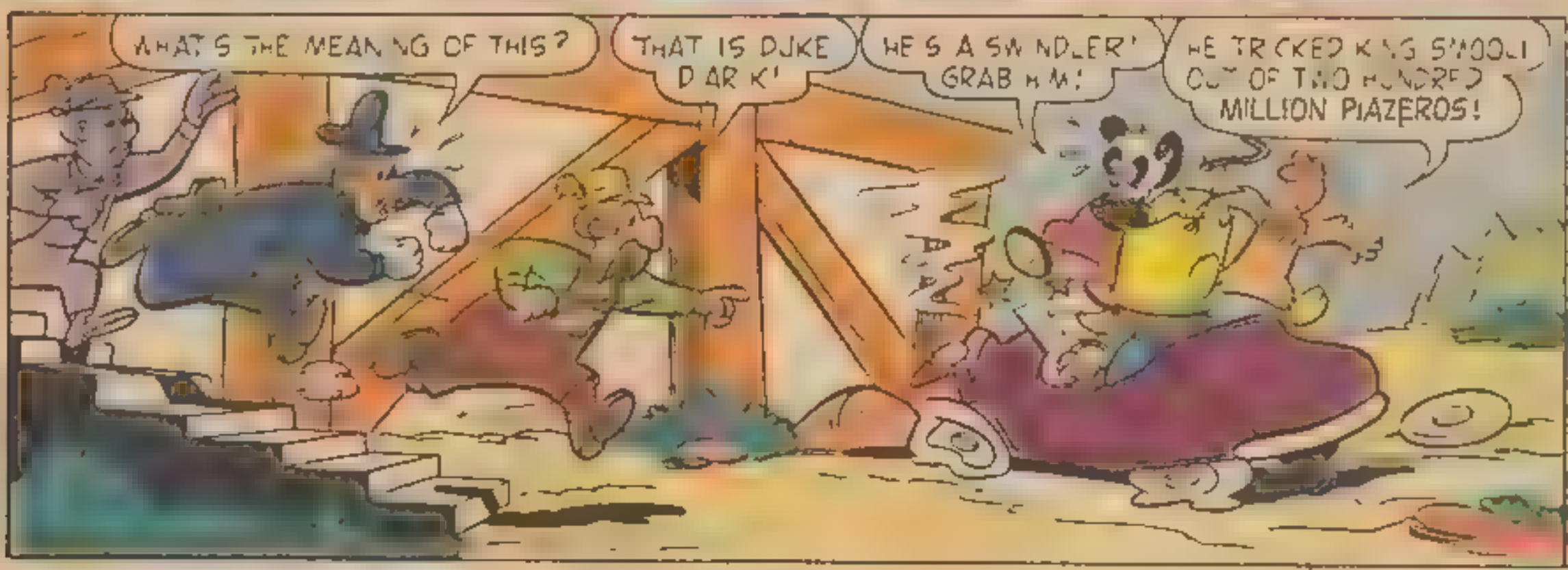
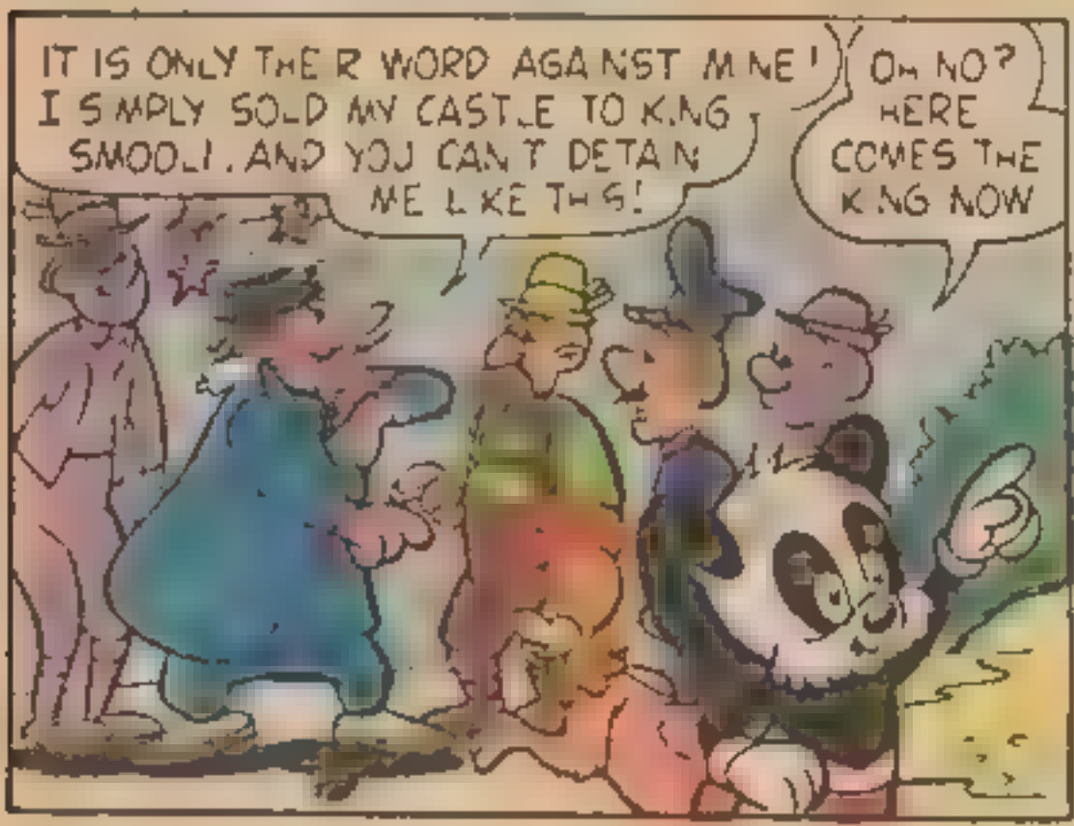
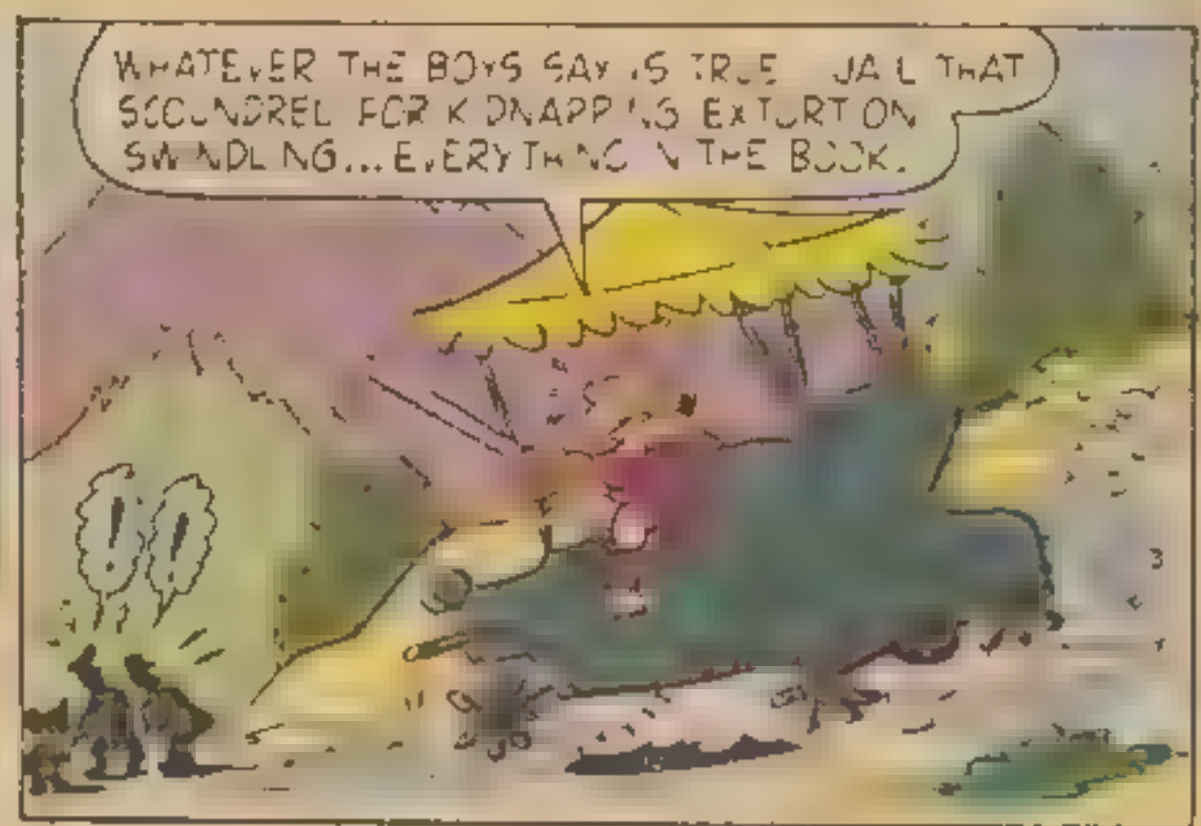
OH I GET YOU CHARLIE!

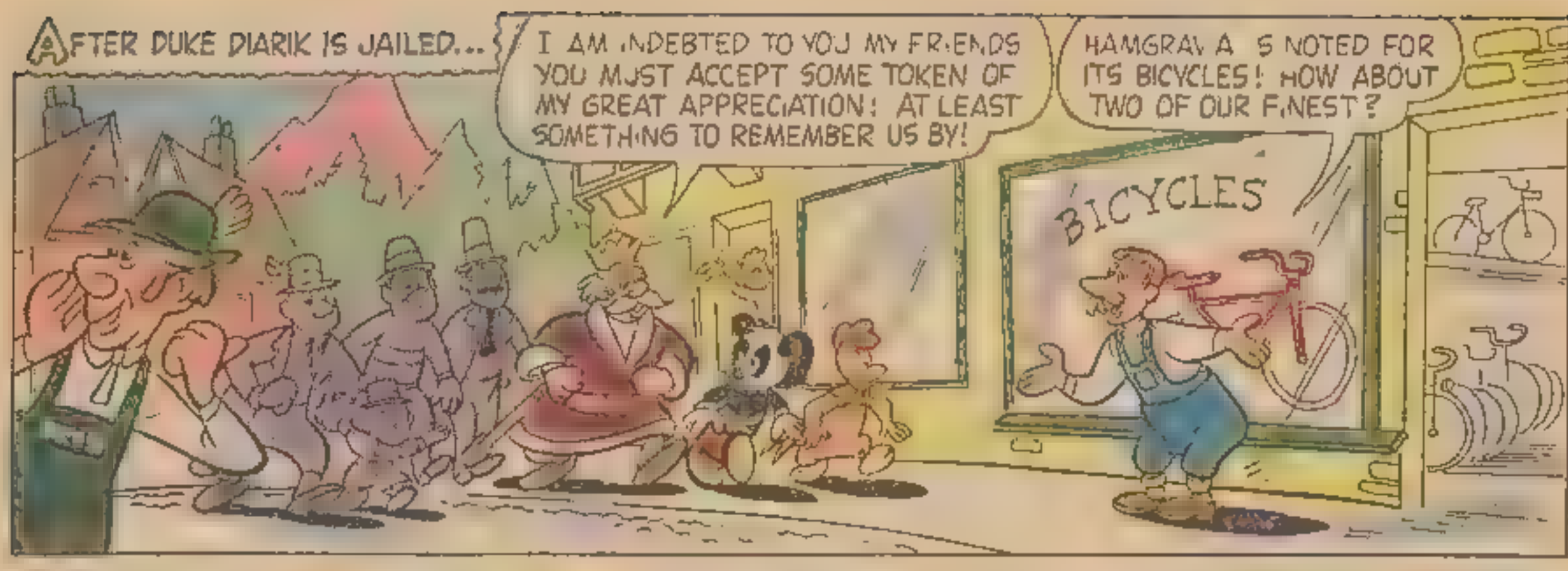

CHOMP!
THAT DID IT!
BOMBS AWAY!

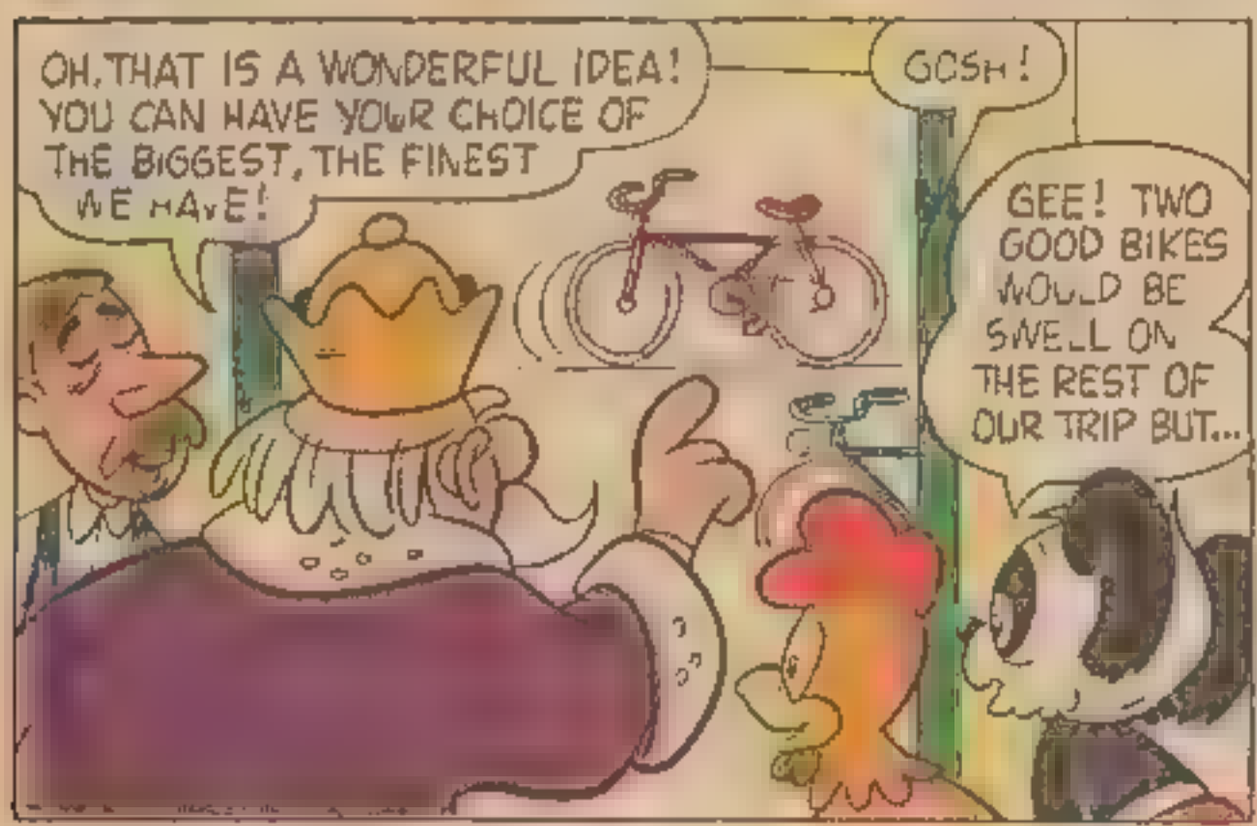

KERLONK!
BULL'S-EYE!

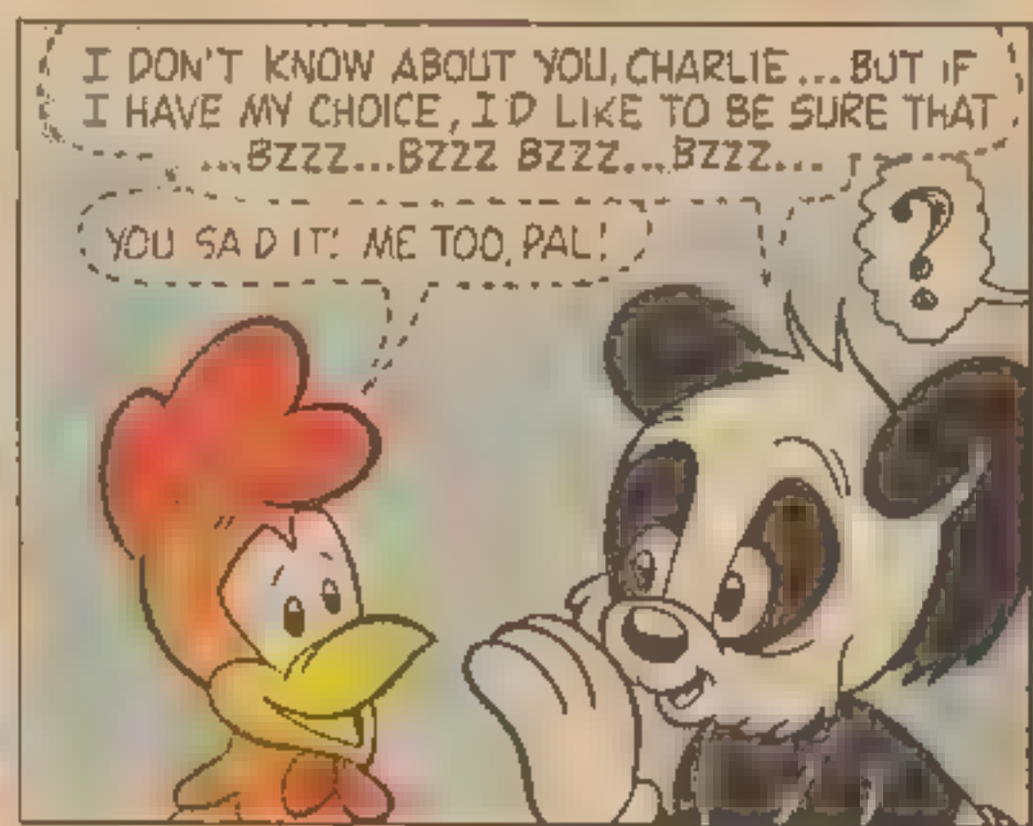

WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS?
THAT IS DUKE DARK!
HE'S A SWINDLER! GRAB HIM!
HE TRICKED KING SMOOLI OUT OF TWO HUNDRED MILLION PIAZEROS!


IT IS ONLY THEIR WORD AGAINST MINE! I SIMPLY SOLD MY CASTLE TO KING SMOOLI. AND YOU CAN'T DETAIN ME LIKE THIS!
OH NO? HERE COMES THE KING NOW


WHATEVER THE BOYS SAY IS TRUE JAIL THAT SCOUNDREL FOR KIDNAPPING EXTORTION SWINDLING... EVERYTHING IN THE BOOK.


AFTER DUKE DIARIK IS JAILED...
I AM INDEBTED TO YOU MY FRIENDS YOU MUST ACCEPT SOME TOKEN OF MY GREAT APPRECIATION! AT LEAST SOMETHING TO REMEMBER US BY!
HAMGRAVIA IS NOTED FOR ITS BICYCLES! HOW ABOUT TWO OF OUR FINEST?
BICYCLES


OH, THAT IS A WONDERFUL IDEA! YOU CAN HAVE YOUR CHOICE OF THE BIGGEST, THE FINEST WE HAVE!
GOSH!
GEE! TWO GOOD BIKES WOULD BE SWELL ON THE REST OF OUR TRIP BUT...


I DON'T KNOW ABOUT YOU, CHARLIE... BUT IF I HAVE MY CHOICE, I'D LIKE TO BE SURE THAT ...BZZZ...BZZZ BZZZ...BZZZ...
YOU SAID IT! ME TOO, PAL!
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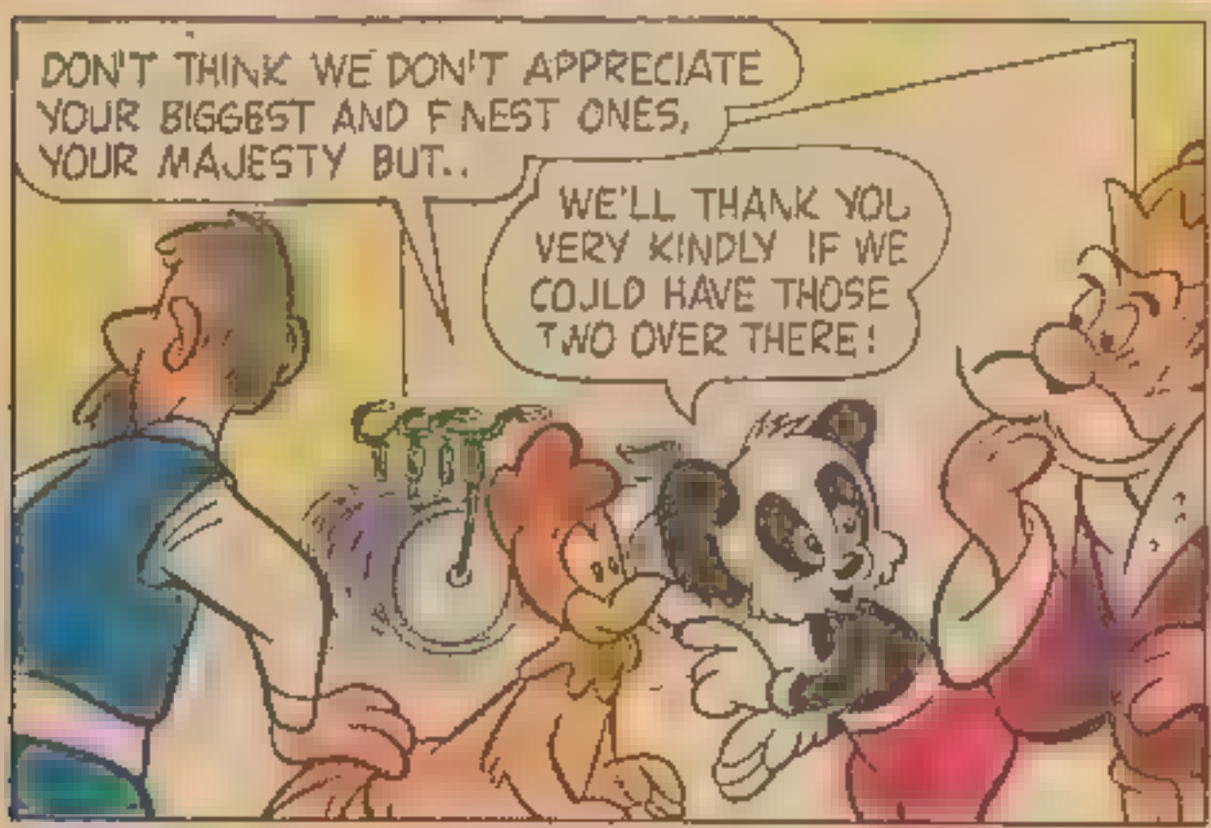
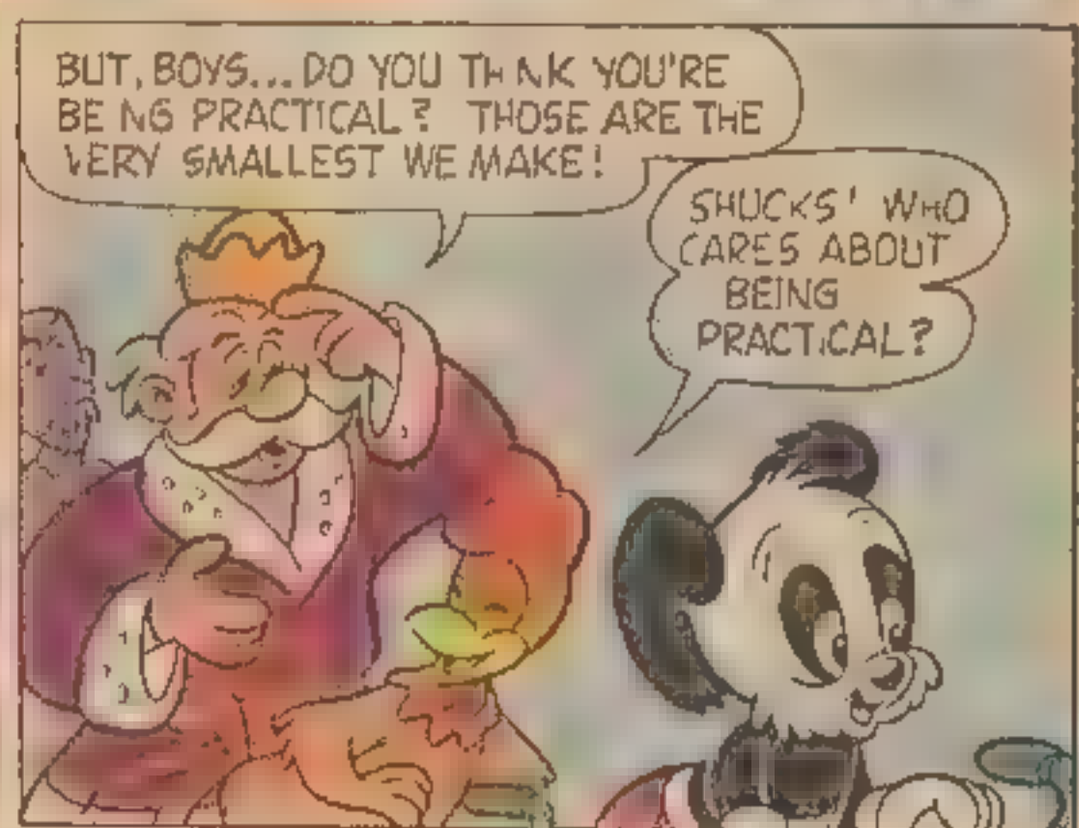
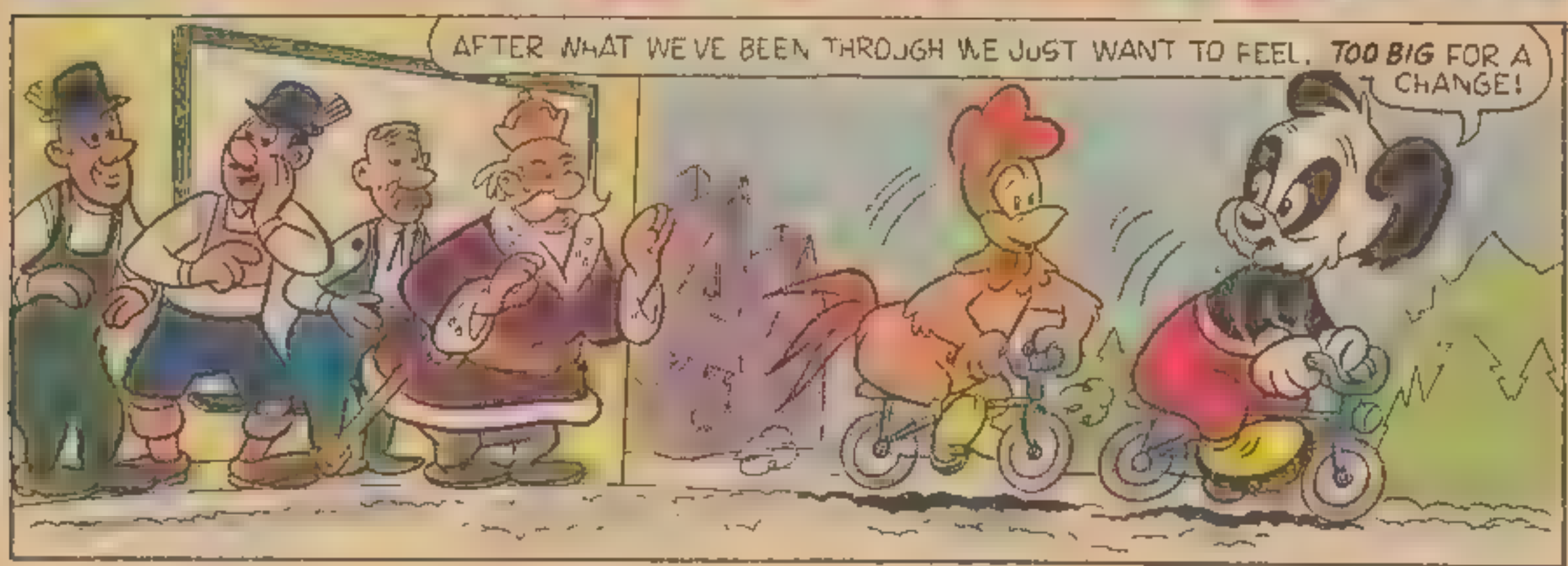
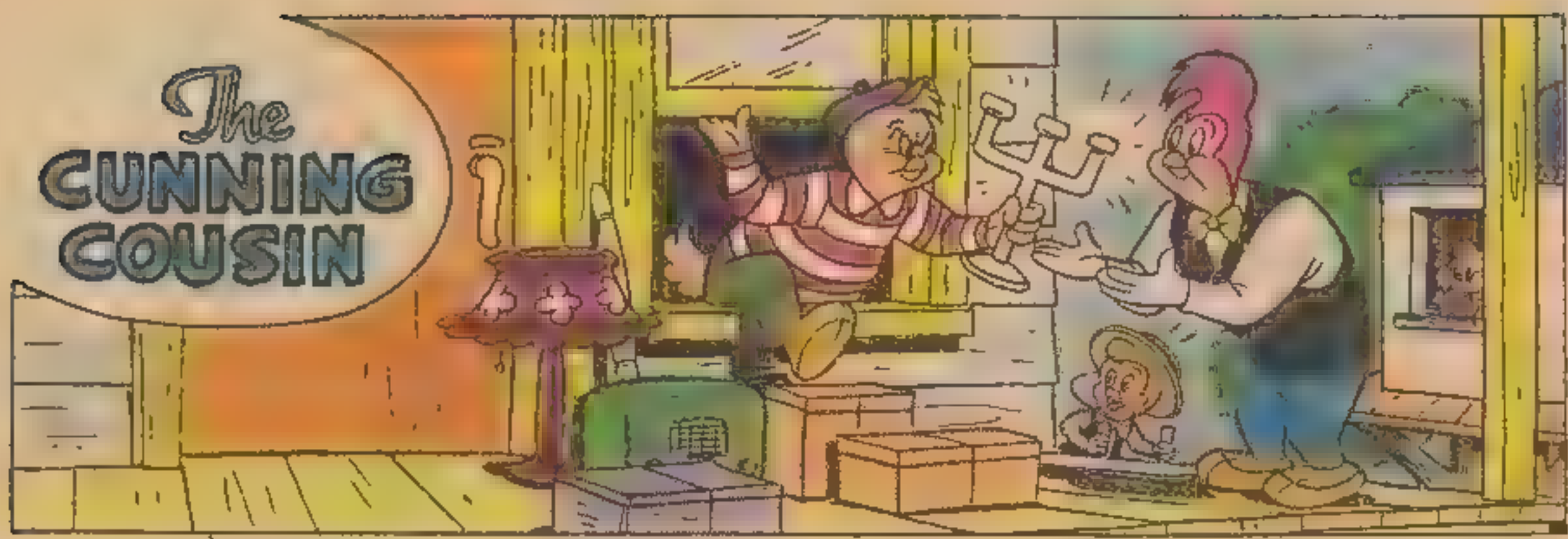

DON'T THINK WE DON'T APPRECIATE YOUR BIGGEST AND FINEST ONES, YOUR MAJESTY BUT..
WE'LL THANK YOU VERY KINDLY IF WE COULD HAVE THOSE TWO OVER THERE!


BUT, BOYS... DO YOU THINK YOU'RE BEING PRACTICAL? THOSE ARE THE VERY SMALLEST WE MAKE!
SHUCKS! WHO CARES ABOUT BEING PRACTICAL?


AFTER WHAT WE'VE BEEN THROUGH WE JUST WANT TO FEEL, TOO BIG FOR A CHANGE!



Red Cardinal bumped smack into Homer Pigeon going up the steps to Carrie's house one evening.

"You're wasting your time, Homer," Red grunted, ringing the doorbell. "*I'm* taking Carrie to the dance tomorrow!"

"Is that so?" Homer hooted. "We'll see what Carrie has to say about that!"

When Carrie greeted them, her mind wasn't on the dance at all. "I can hardly wait for my Cousin Cuthbert to move into the house next door," she breathed. "He brought over a lot of his things today, but he won't be able to move in till next week."

"What about the dance tomorrow?" Red asked.

Carrie glanced from Homer to Red and back again. "I don't know," she dimpled. "I'll decide tomorrow which one of you boys I'm going with. Good night, now!"

The door closed.

"Well, so long, Red," Homer grinned. "I have to get my beauty sleep for the dance!" He sauntered confidently down the street.

Red let out a sigh. "I'm going to take Carrie to the dance if it kills me," he muttered. "Homer always wins, and I just have to cut him down to size!"

Suddenly, he spied a man on the front porch of the house next door.

"Hi, there!" Red shouted. "Are you Carrie's Cousin Cuthbert?"

The man, who was carrying a silver candlestick under one arm, eyed Red carefully. "Who are you?" he demanded.

Red introduced himself. "Carrie will be awfully surprised and pleased," he told the man. "She didn't expect you to be moving in until next week!"

The man rubbed his chin thoughtfully. "Matter of fact, I'm not moving in till then. I wanted to get this candlestick out of the house as a present for . . . er . . . Carrie. Have to wrap it, you know."

Red nodded. "How come the window's open? Forget your key?"

The man grinned. "Say, you are a bright lad. Want to give me a hand? I have to take a few things I'll need back to my other place till next week."

"Sure," Red beamed "I'll bet, when I tell Carrie I helped you, she'll go to the dance with me tomorrow for sure!"

The man handed out a variety of things to Red, who stacked them all in the car out in front. "Going to need all of this?" Red asked cheerfully

"Every bit," the man answered firmly.

Just then, Carrie's door flew open.

"Who's there?" she demanded "Homer! Red! Come back! Someone's in Cousin Cuthbert's house!"

"It's all right," Red laughed. "Your Cousin Cuthbert is here!"

Carrie tore across the yard. "*That* isn't Cuthbert!"

Homer came racing up the street. "What is it, Carrie? Can I help?"

The man dived towards the car, but Homer was too fast for him.

"Help! Police!" Homer shouted as he dragged the man to the ground.

After the police had taken the man away, Carrie turned to Red. "I'm going to the dance with Homer," she said. "How could you confuse my cousin with a common burglar?"

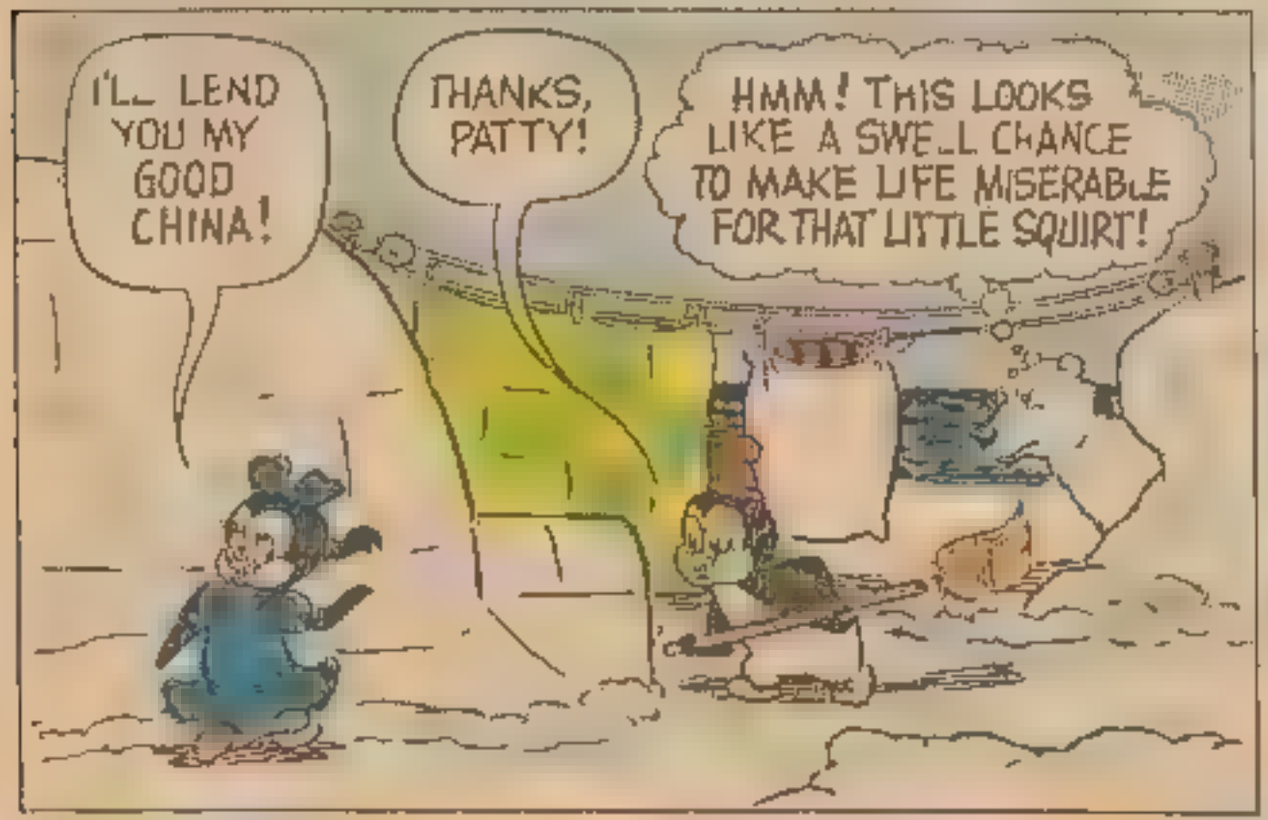
"I guess they both have taking ways!" Red groaned.

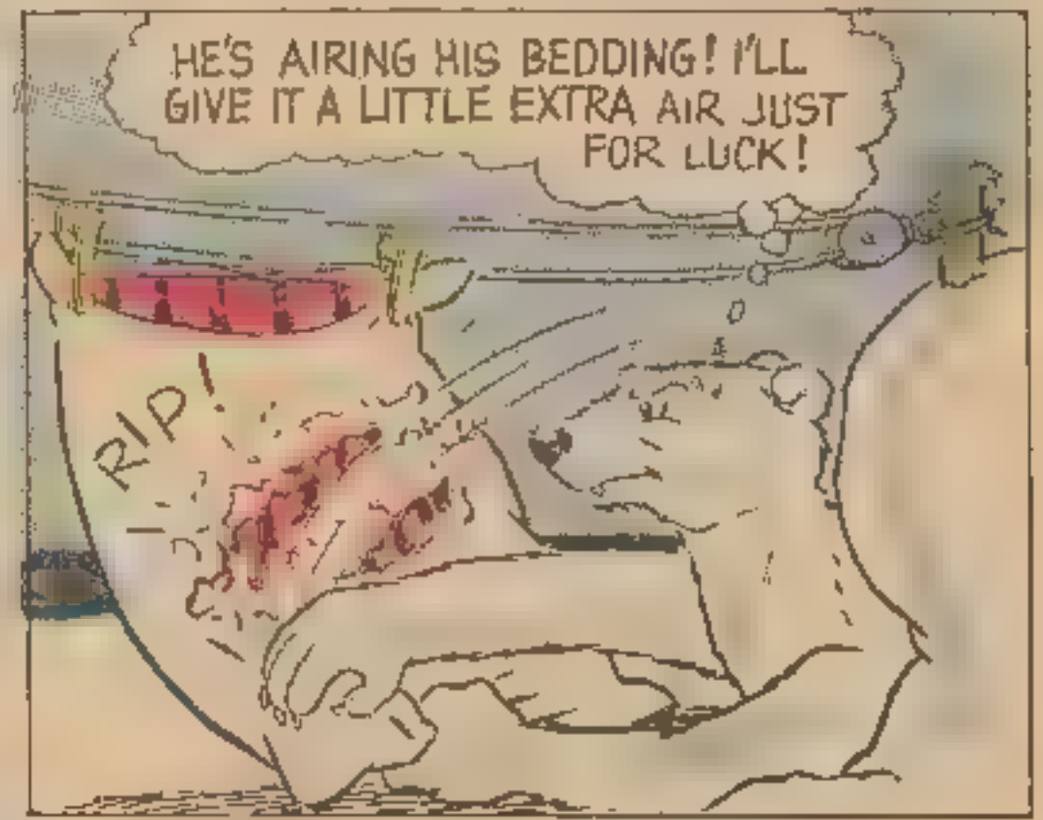
Walter Lantz PRESENTS

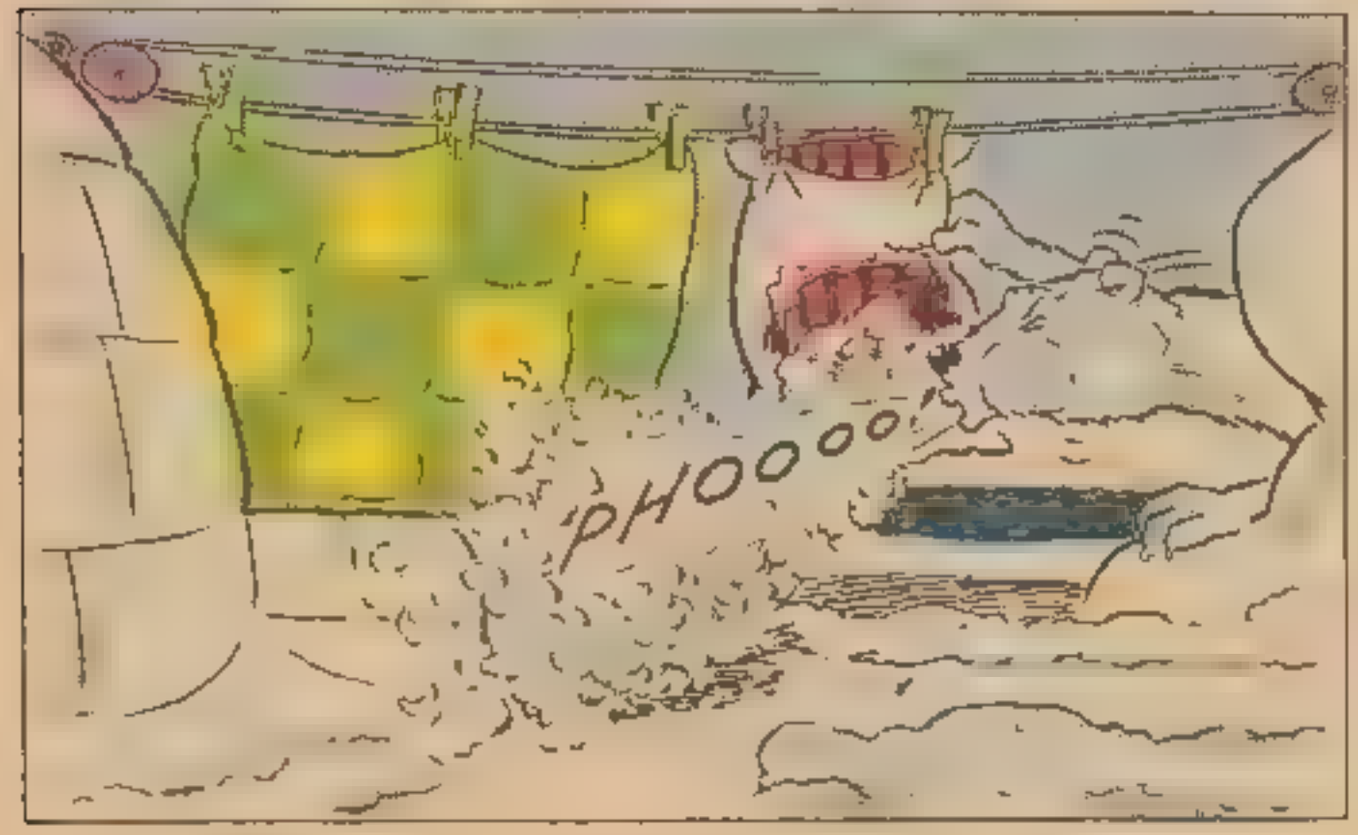
CHILLY WILLY AND THE PESKY PRANKSTER

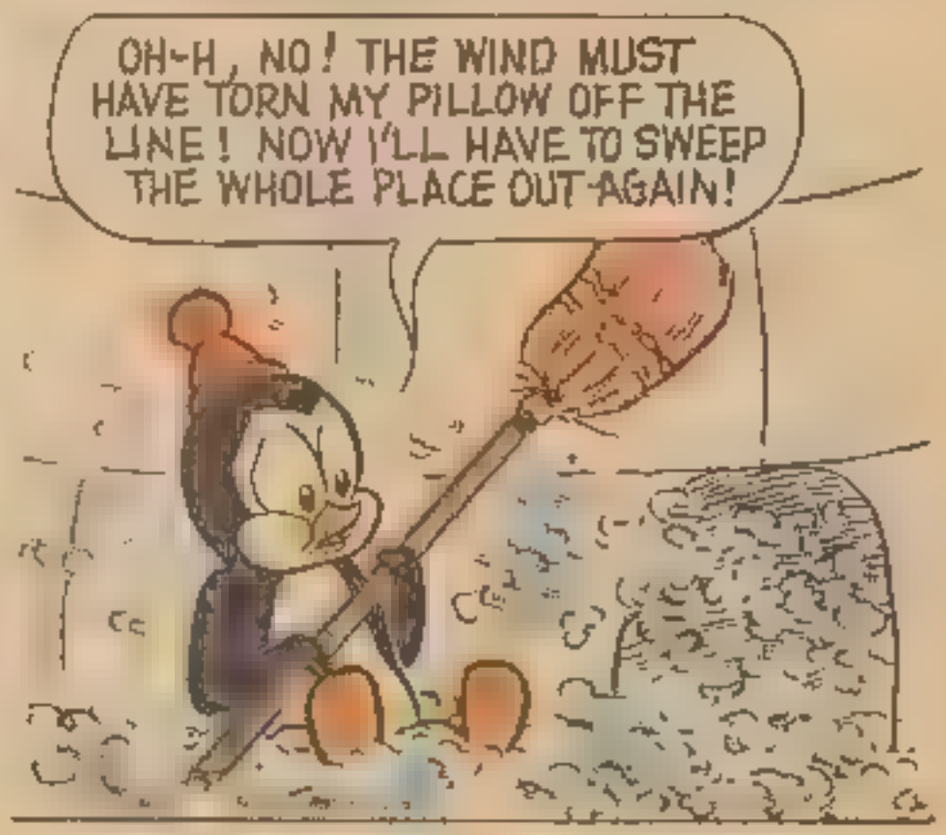
GOODNESS, CHILLY! WHAT'S THIS SUDDEN ACTIVITY ALL ABOUT?

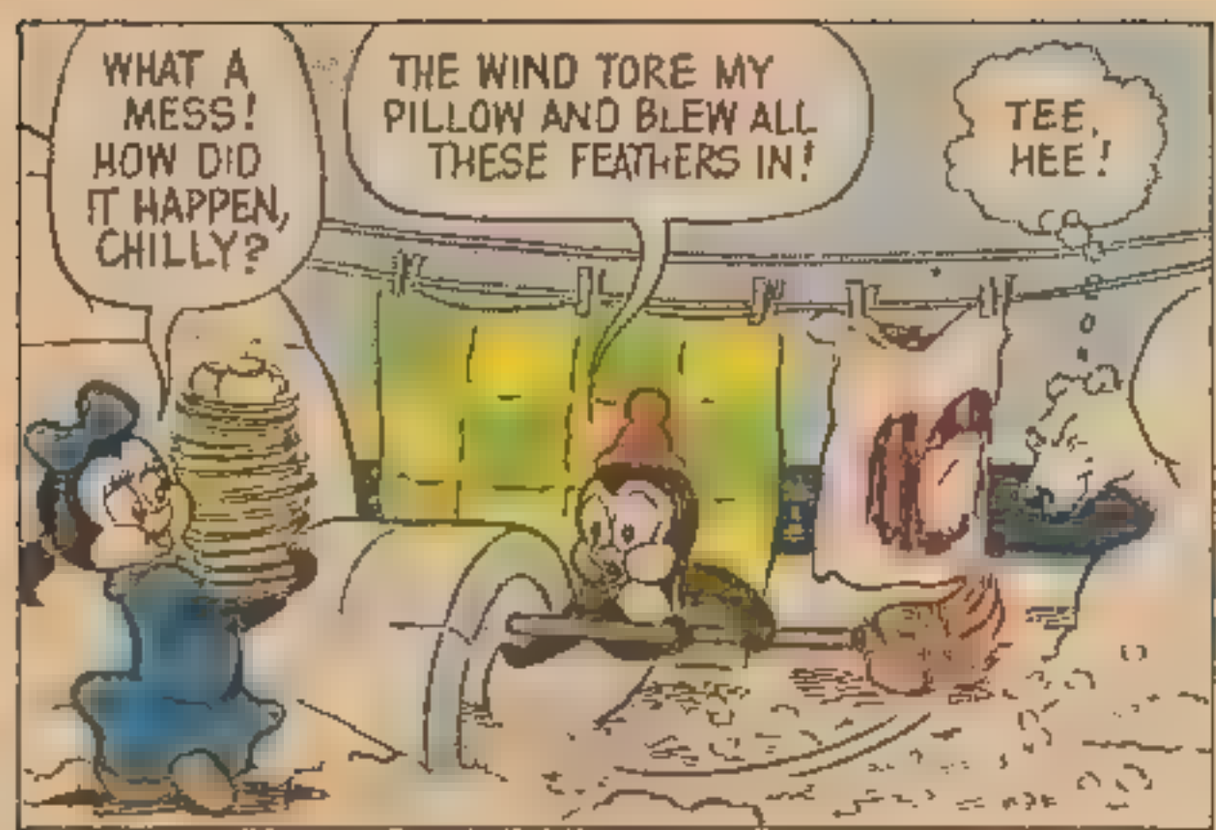
OH, HI, PATTY! I'M EXPECTING A VISIT FROM MY UNCLE PERCIVAL AND I WANT TO HAVE EVERYTHING LOOKING NICE WHEN HE ARRIVES! HE'S A FUSSY OLD FELLOW, YOU KNOW!

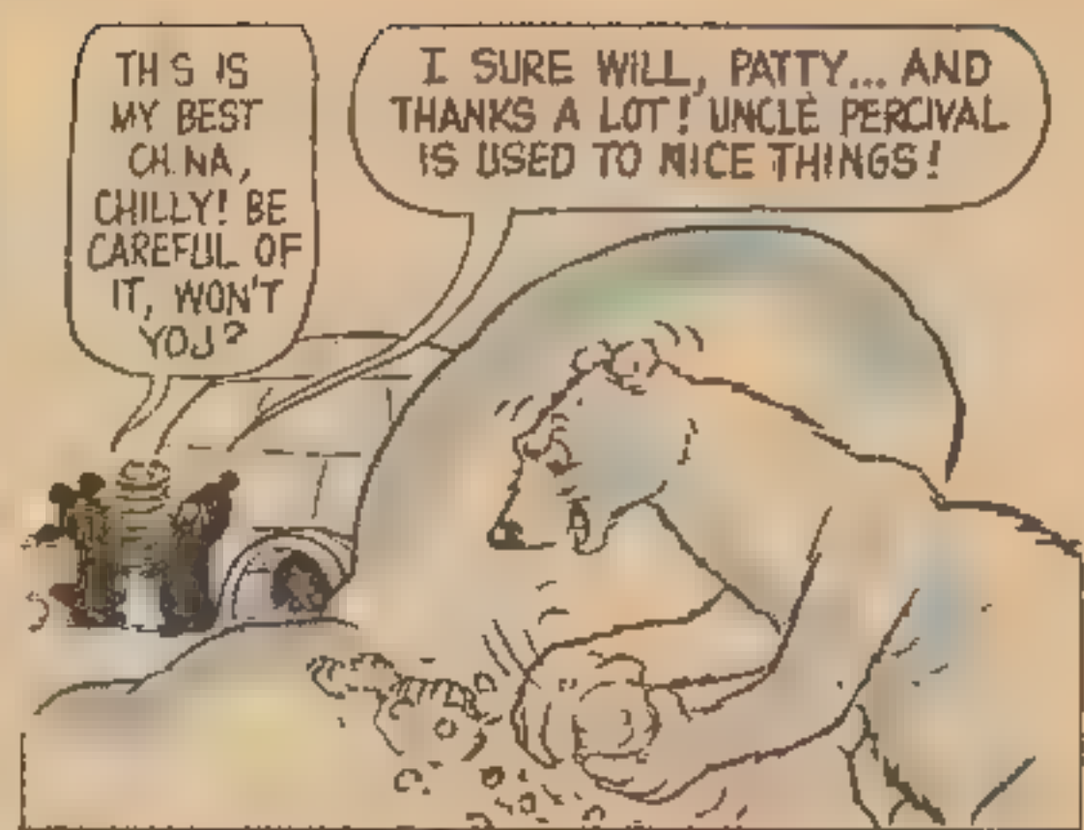




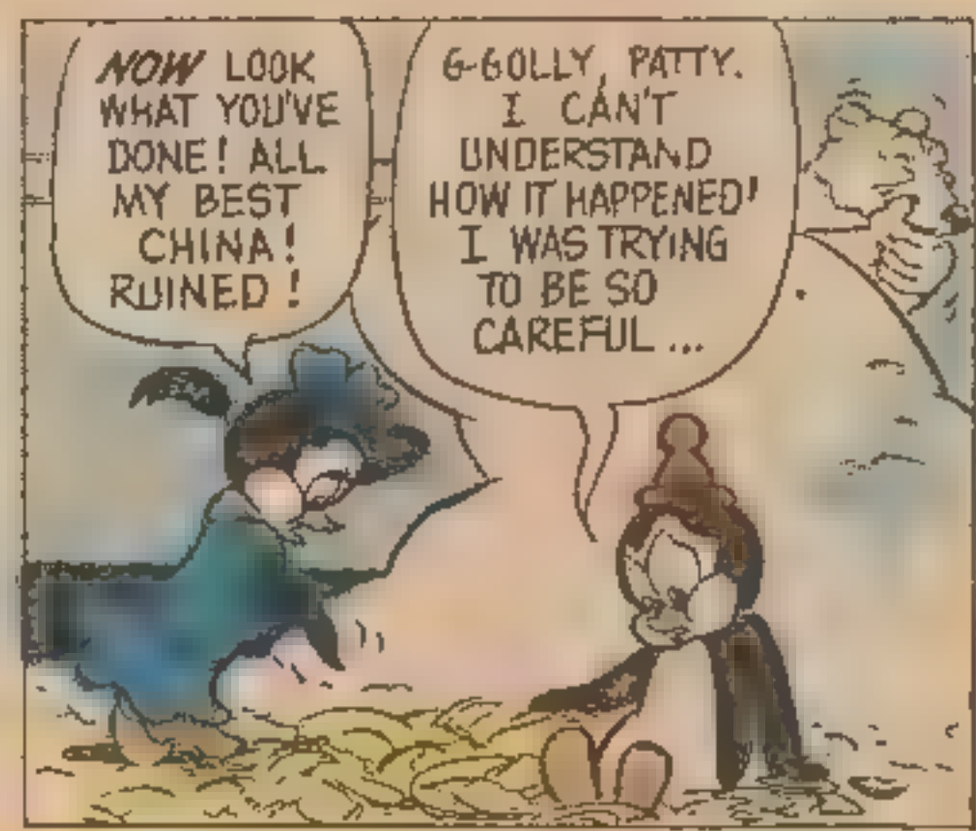


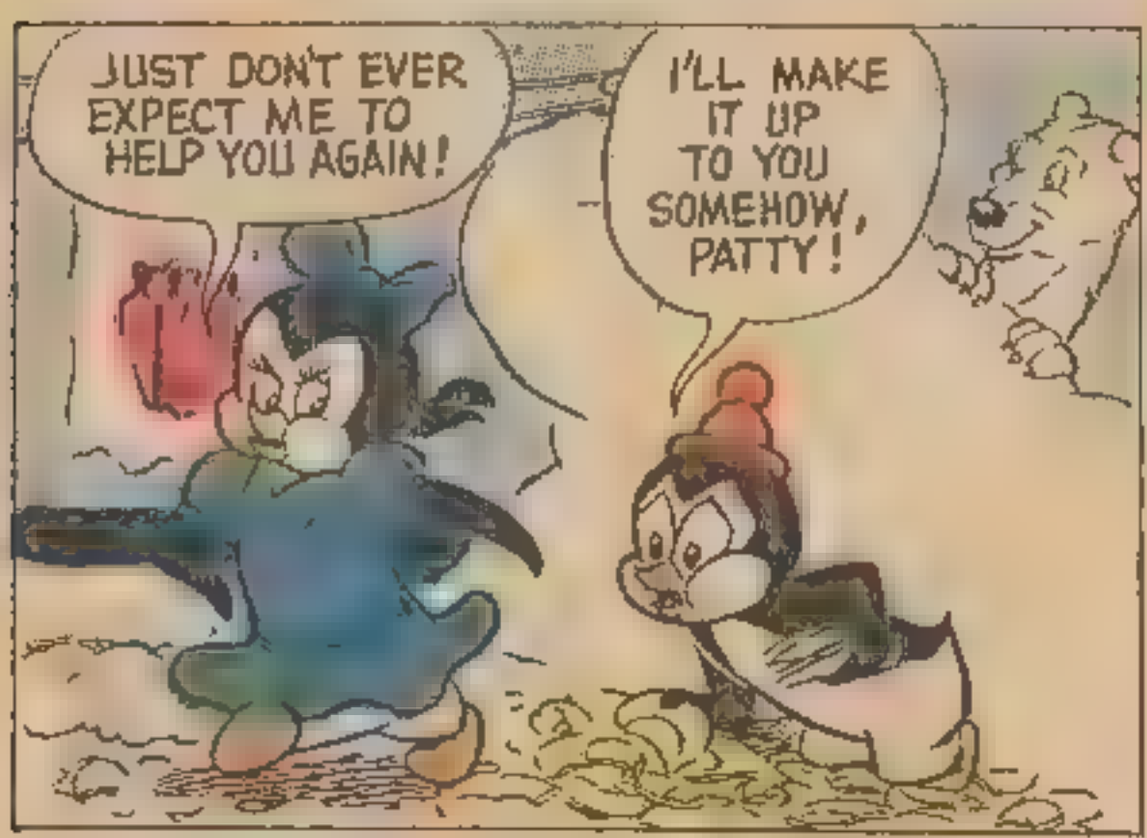



WHAT A MESS! HOW DID IT HAPPEN, CHILLY?
THE WIND TORE MY PILLOW AND BLEW ALL THESE FEATHERS IN!
TEE, HEE!

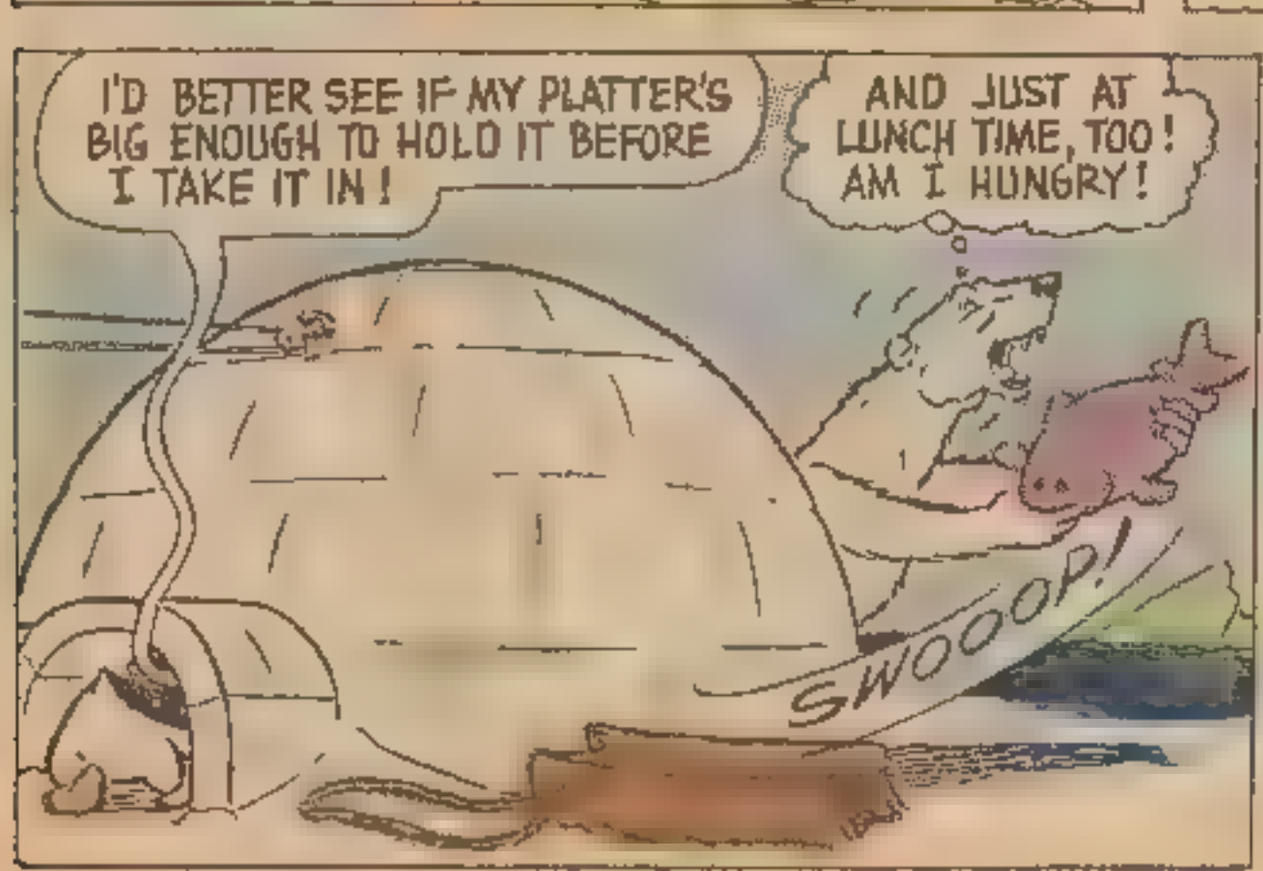

THIS IS MY BEST CHINA, CHILLY! BE CAREFUL OF IT, WON'T YOU?
I SURE WILL, PATTY... AND THANKS A LOT! UNCLE PERCIVAL IS USED TO NICE THINGS!

MY A.M IS JUST AS GOOD AS EVER!
SPLAT!
OOPS!


NOW LOOK WHAT YOU'VE DONE! ALL MY BEST CHINA! RUINED!
G-GOLLY, PATTY. I CAN'T UNDERSTAND HOW IT HAPPENED! I WAS TRYING TO BE SO CAREFUL...


JUST DON'T EVER EXPECT ME TO HELP YOU AGAIN!
I'LL MAKE IT UP TO YOU SOMEHOW, PATTY!

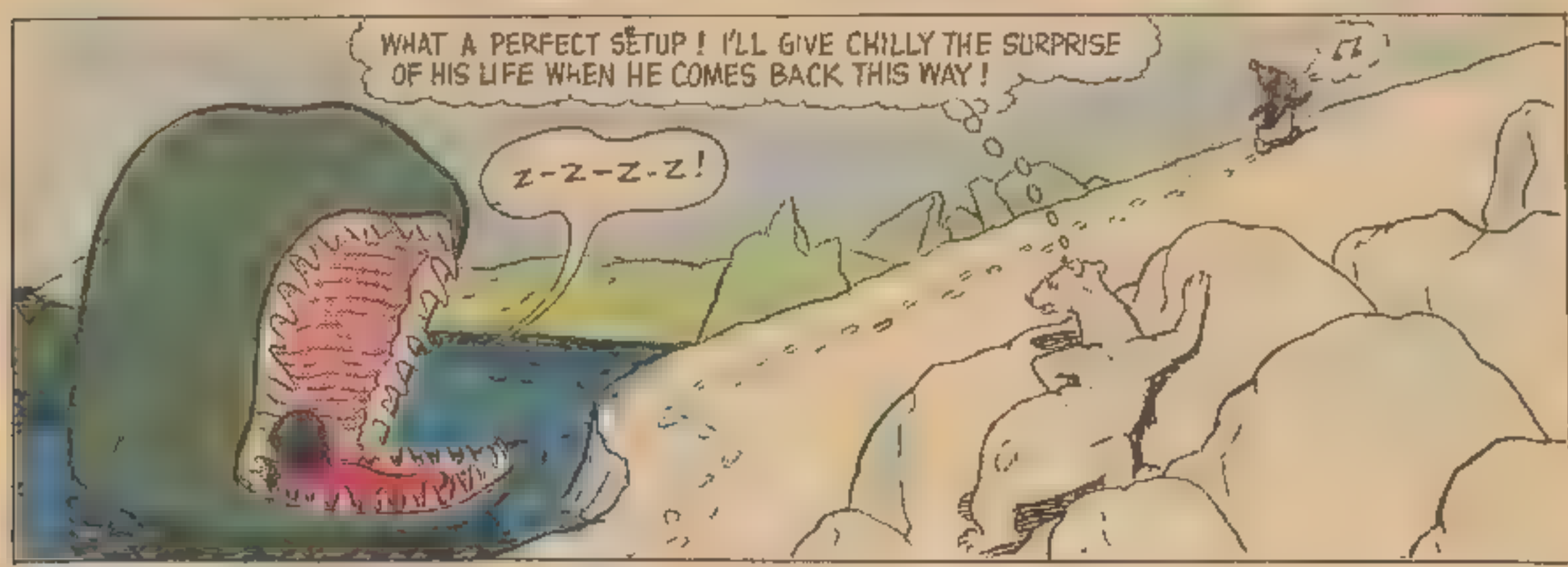
LITTLE LATER...
UNCLE PERCIVAL LOVES BAKED HALIBUT! I SURE HOPE HE APPRECIATES THE TROUBLE I TOOK TO GET THIS ONE FOR HIM!
WELL, WELL! A FREE DINNER!

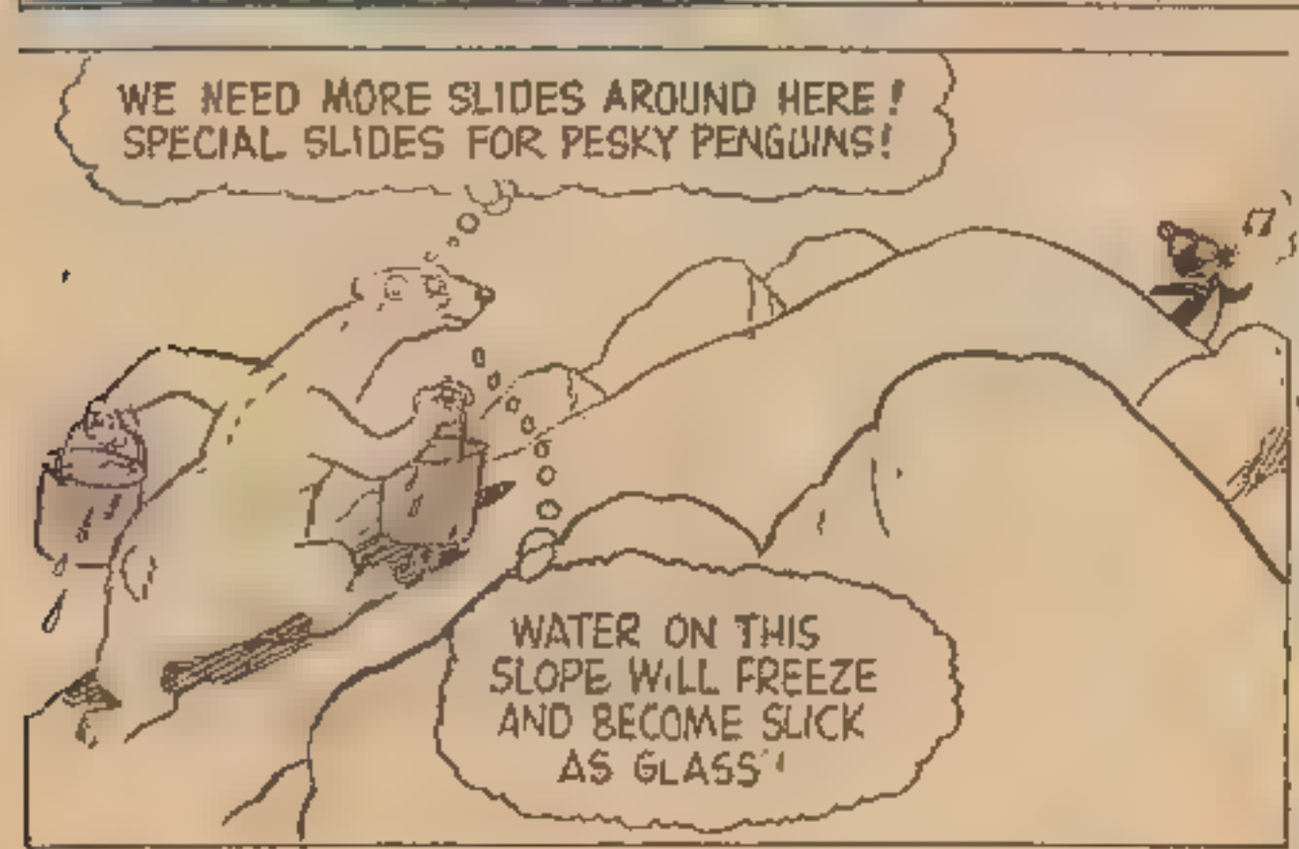

I'D BETTER SEE IF MY PLATTER'S BIG ENOUGH TO HOLD IT BEFORE I TAKE IT IN!
AND JUST AT LUNCH TIME, TOO! AM I HUNGRY!
SWOOOP!

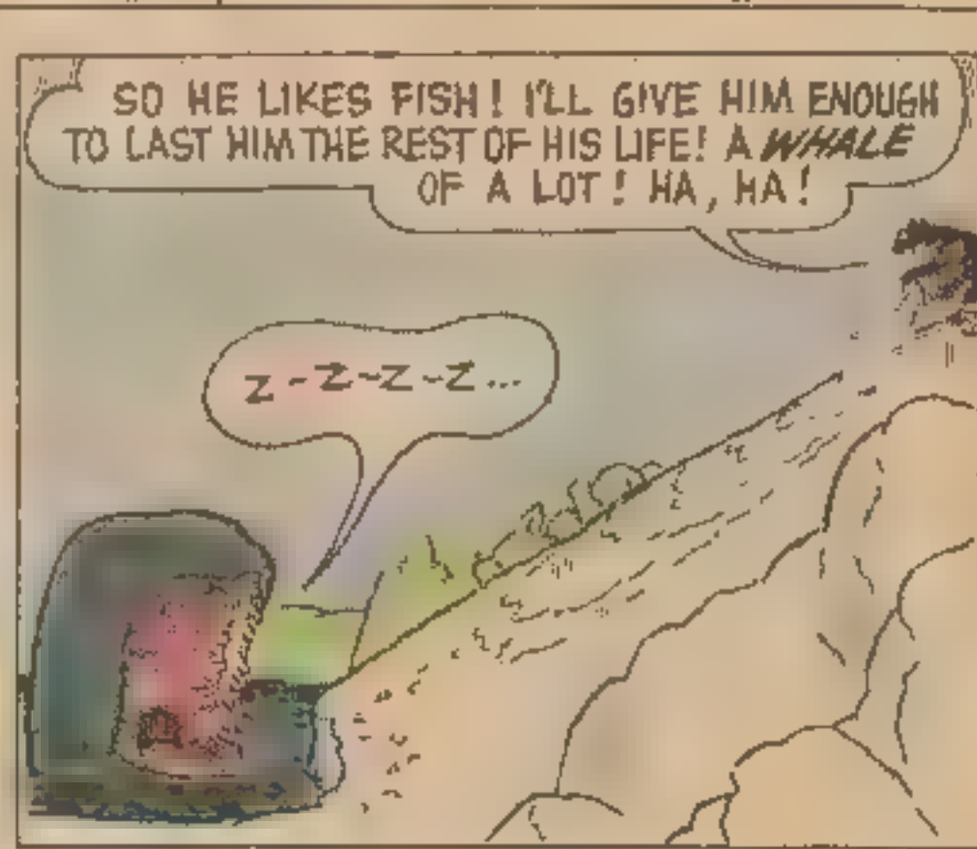
CLANK!
OWOOOO! IT'S FROZEN! MY POOR TEETH!!!

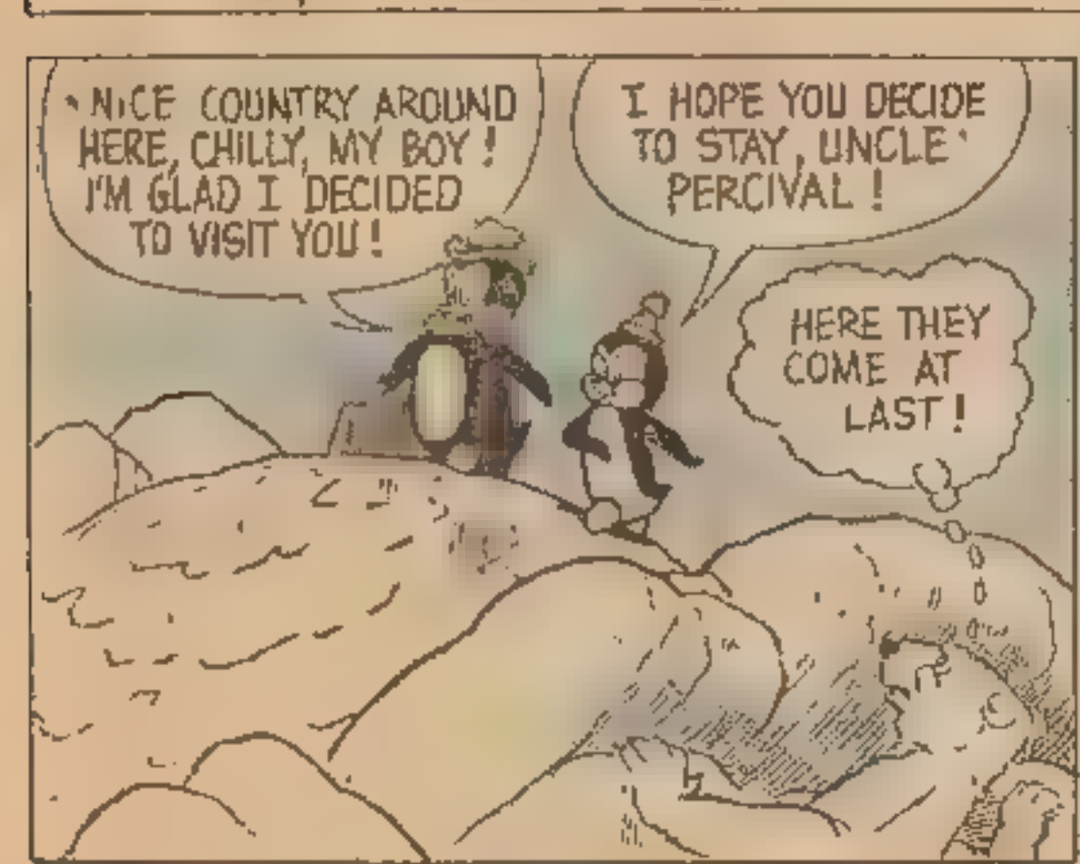
HE MUST'VE DONE THAT ON PURPOSE! I'LL GET EVEN WITH HIM IF IT'S THE LAST THING I DO!
WHAP!

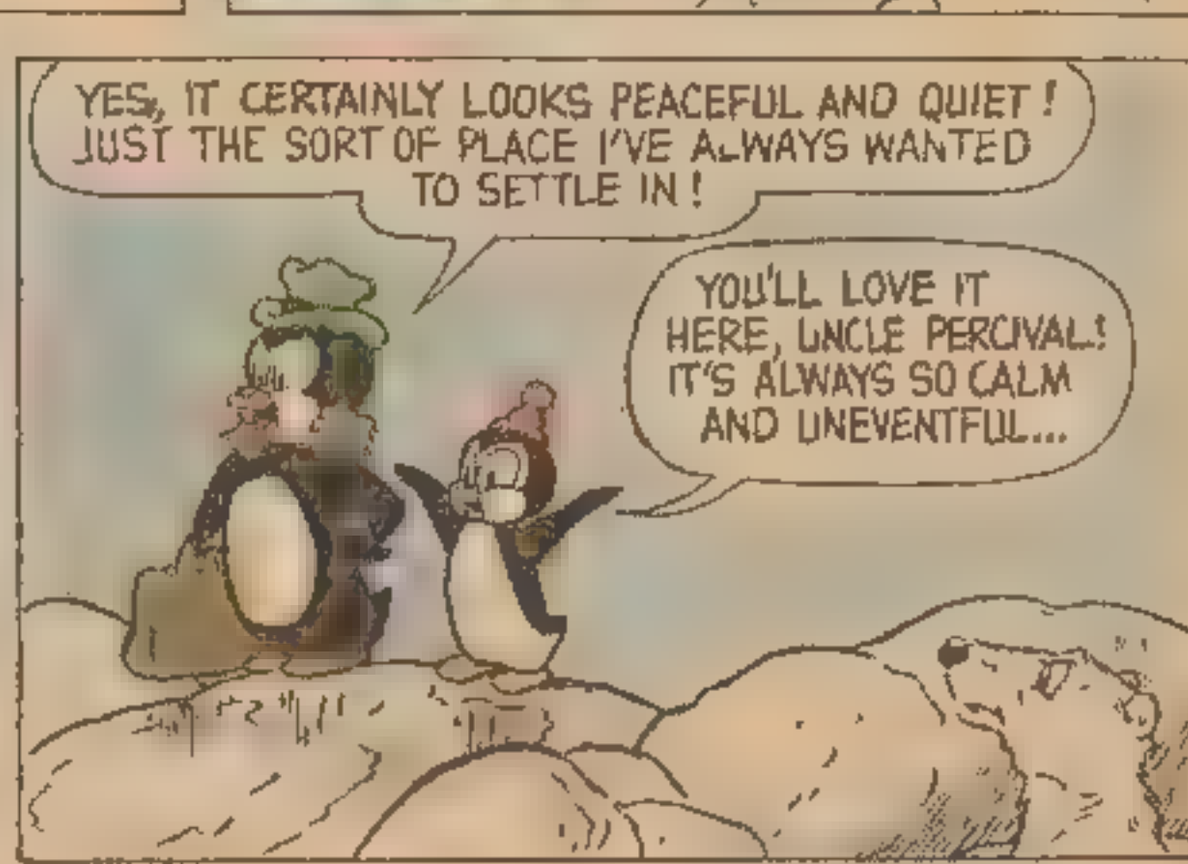
WELL, EVERYTHING'S FINE AND DANDY! I'LL JUST LEAVE MY FISH TO THAW OUT WHILE I GO TO MEET UNCLE PERCIVAL!


WHAT A PERFECT SETUP! I'LL GIVE CHILLY THE SURPRISE OF HIS LIFE WHEN HE COMES BACK THIS WAY!
z-z-z-z!


WE NEED MORE SLIDES AROUND HERE! SPECIAL SLIDES FOR PESKY PENGUINS!
WATER ON THIS SLOPE WILL FREEZE AND BECOME SLICK AS GLASS!


SO HE LIKES FISH! I'LL GIVE HIM ENOUGH TO LAST HIM THE REST OF HIS LIFE! A *WHALE* OF A LOT! HA, HA!
z-z-z-z...


NICE COUNTRY AROUND HERE, CHILLY, MY BOY! I'M GLAD I DECIDED TO VISIT YOU!
I HOPE YOU DECIDE TO STAY, UNCLE PERCIVAL!
HERE THEY COME AT LAST!


YES, IT CERTAINLY LOOKS PEACEFUL AND QUIET! JUST THE SORT OF PLACE I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO SETTLE IN!
YOU'LL LOVE IT HERE, UNCLE PERCIVAL! IT'S ALWAYS SO CALM AND UNEVENTFUL...

SLOW-POKES! THEY NEED A LITTLE PUSH TO START SLIPPING DOWN THAT ICY SLIDE!

I'LL TELL YOU WHAT! LET'S GO HOME BY THE ICE BRIDGE, SO YOU CAN SEE SOME MORE OF THE SCENERY!

SUITS ME, CHILLY!

IT ISN'T MUCH FARTHER THAT WAY, AND I THINK YOU'LL ENJOY IT!

?!

FINE!

HEY WHOA! *STOP* ME! *HALP!*

WHAT'S THAT STRANGE NOISE I HEAR, CHILLY?

Z-Z-Z...

SCROONCH!

OH, IT'S PROBABLY JUST THE GRINDING OF THE ICE FLOE, UNCLE PERCIVAL!

THUD!

OOF!

FUNNY... THAT FELT LIKE AN EARTHQUAKE JUST THEN!

YOU'RE IMAGINING THINGS, UNCLE PERCIVAL! NOTHING LIKE THAT EVER HAPPENS AROUND HERE!

LATER.

INVITING ME TO THIS LOVELY DINNER MAKES UP FOR MY BROKEN DISHES, CHILLY!

I'M GLAD, PATTY...

GOOD FOOD, GOOD FRIENDS .. THIS IS THE END OF A PERFECT DAY!

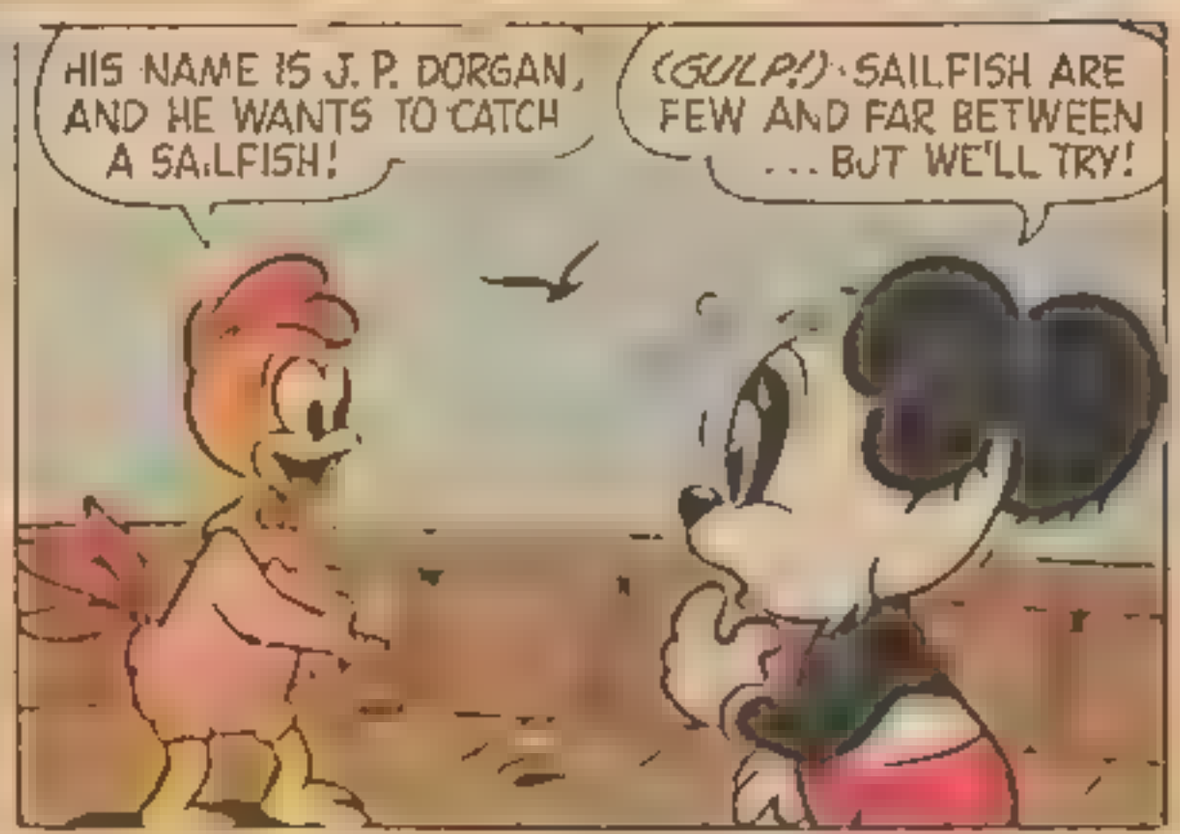
YEAH! PERFECTLY ;GROAN!; *AWFUL!*

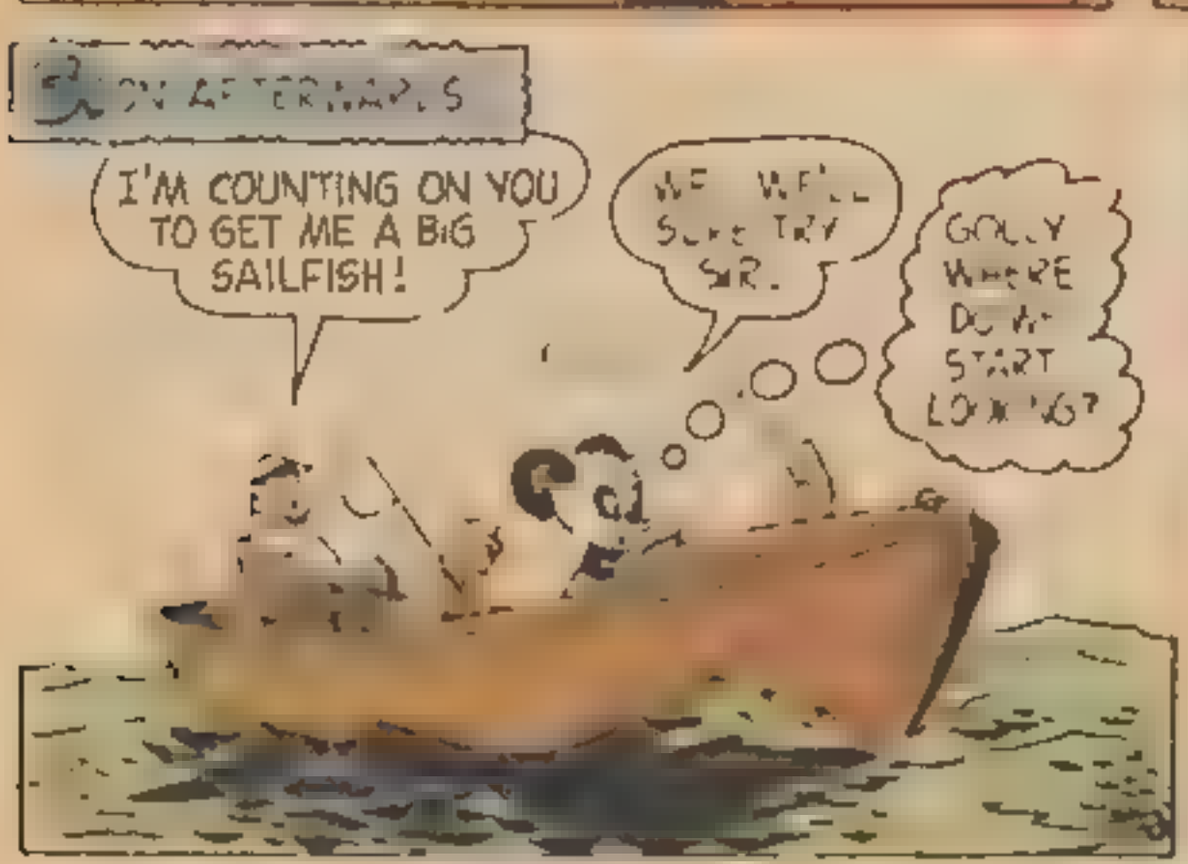
ANDY PANDA

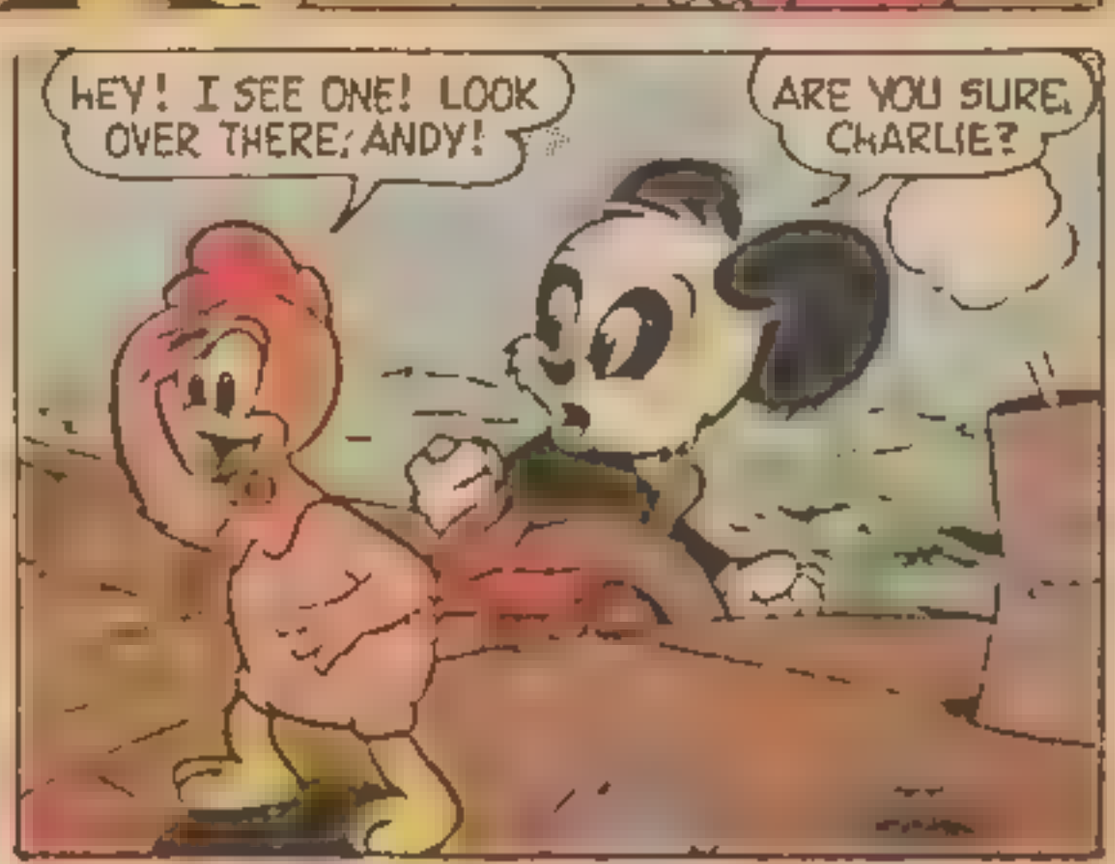
by Walter Lantz

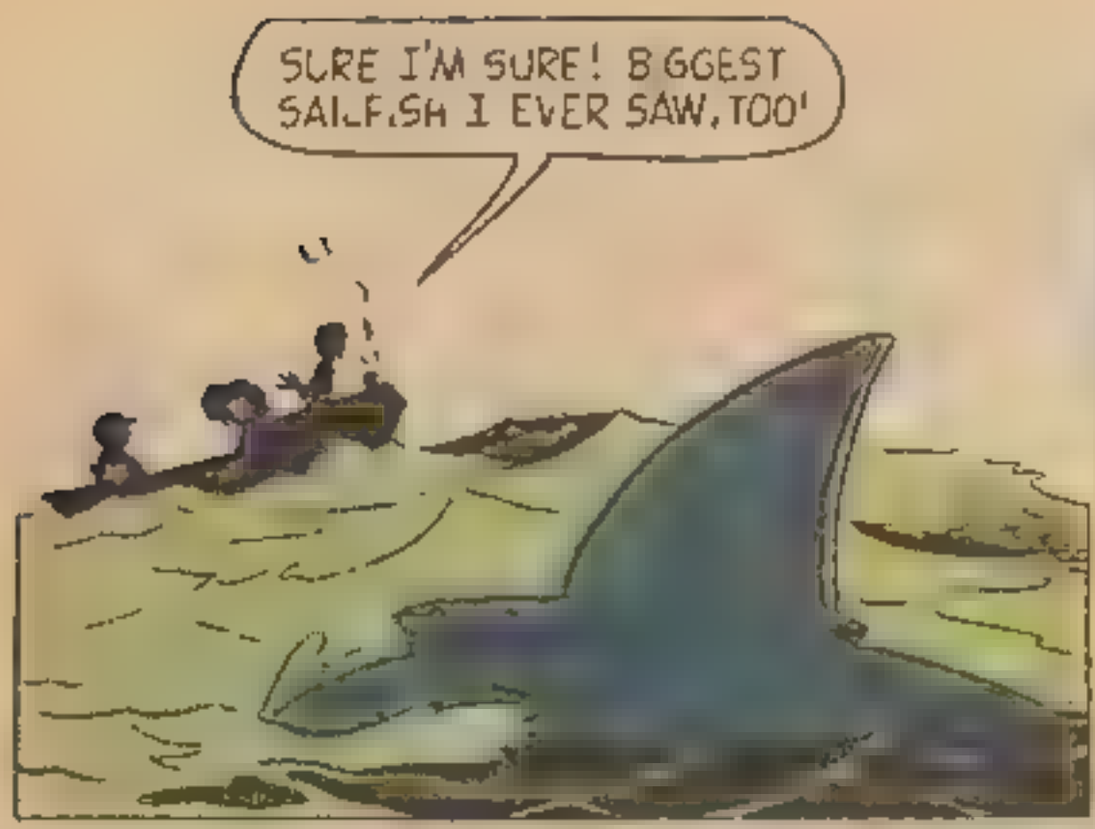
THE PRIZE CATCH

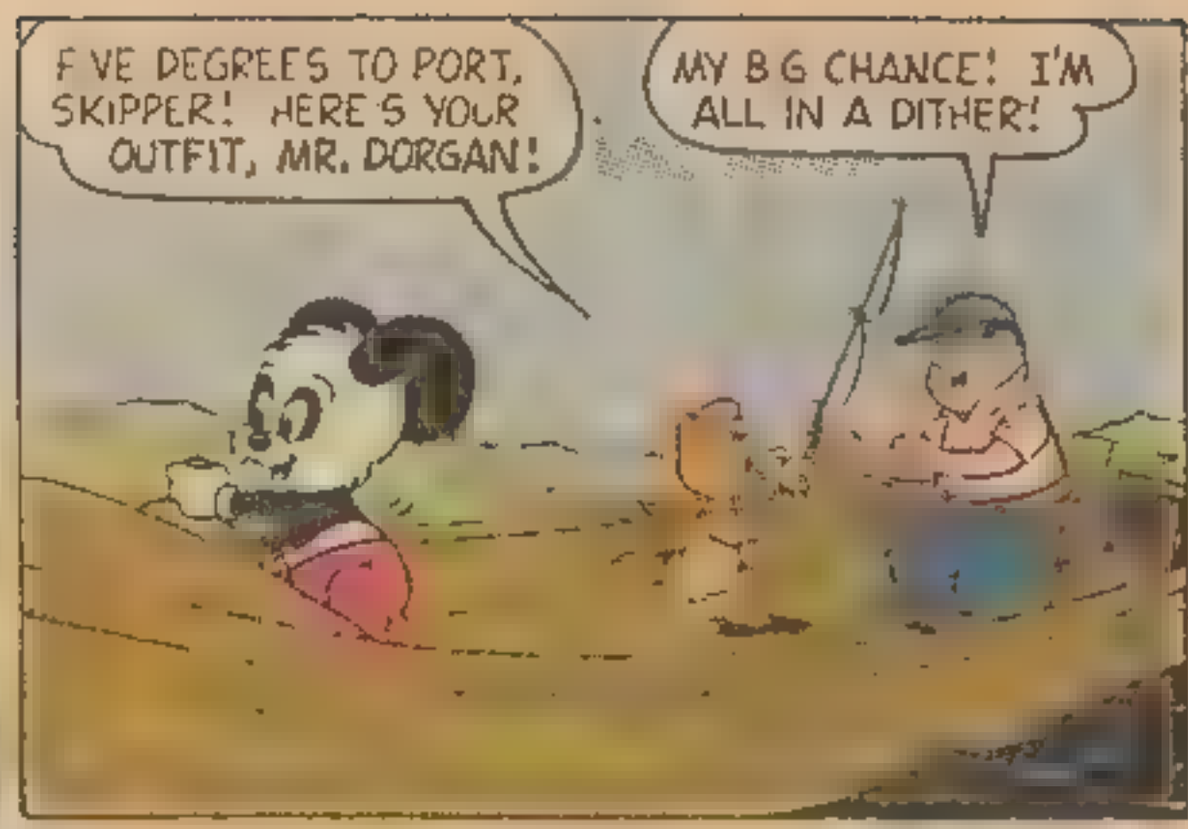
DOGGONE IT! I SHOULD HAVE INVESTIGATED BEFORE I BOUGHT THIS "SPORT-FISHING CRUISER AND FRANCHISE IN BOOMING BEACH COMMUNITY"! THIS PLACE HASN'T BOOMED SINCE COLUMBUS DISCOVERED AMERICA!

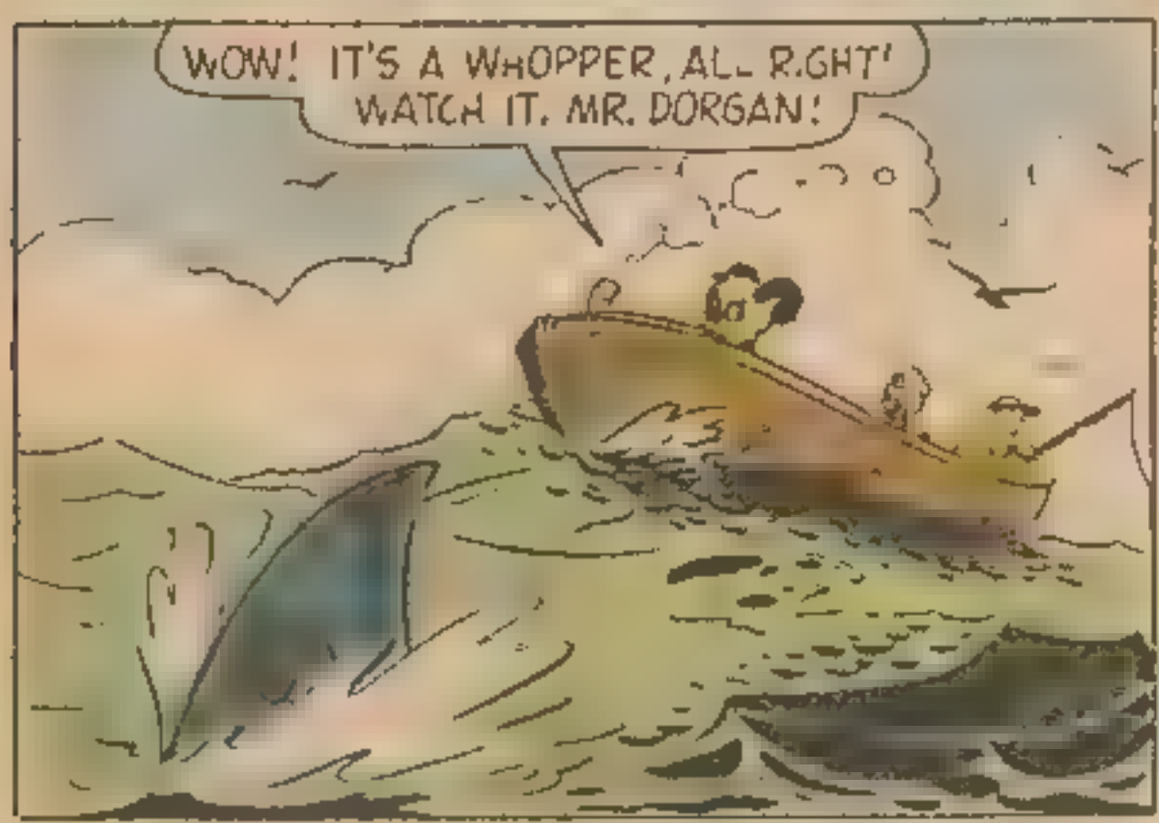


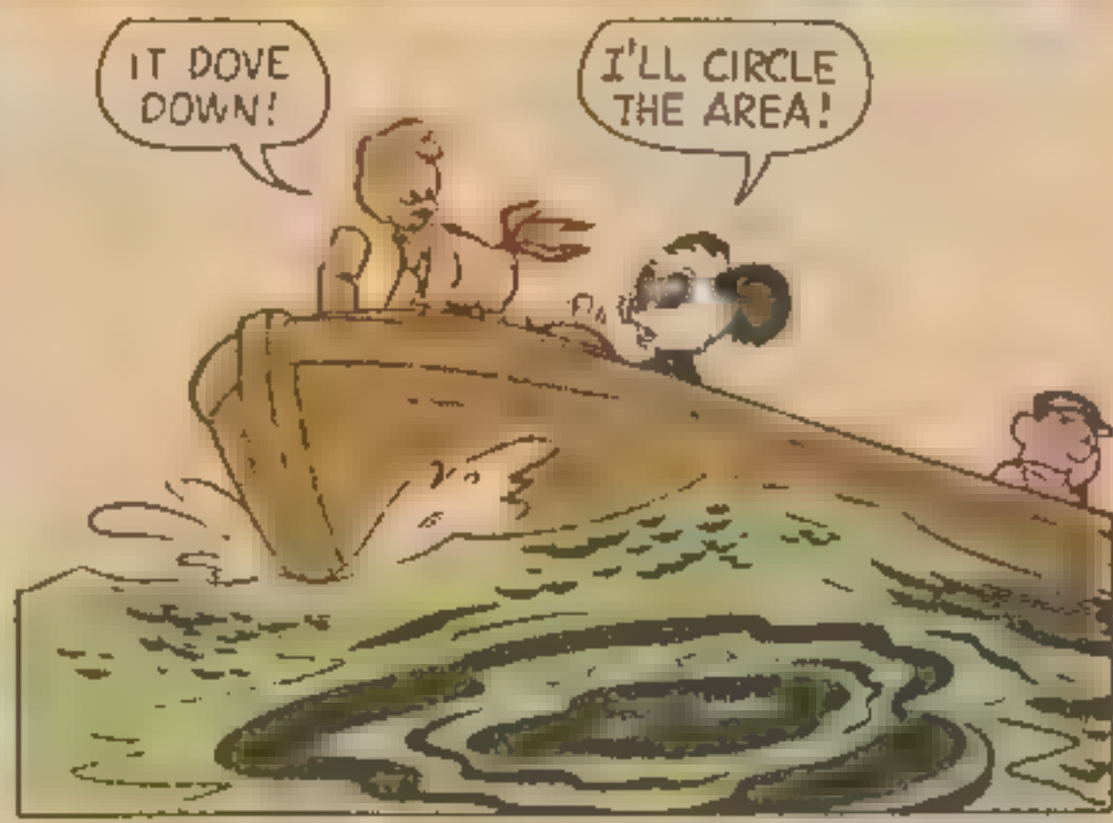




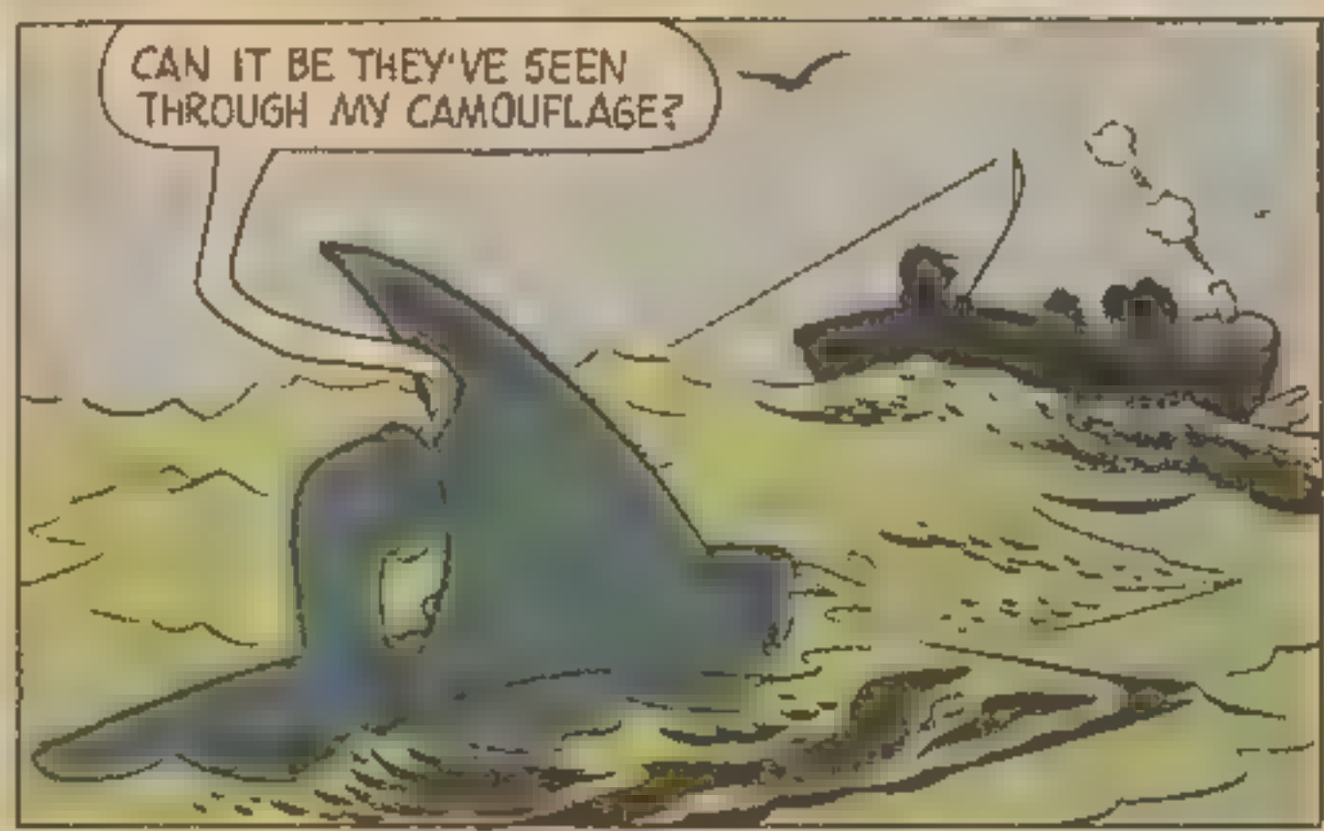

SURE I'M SURE! BIGGEST SAILFISH I EVER SAW, TOO!

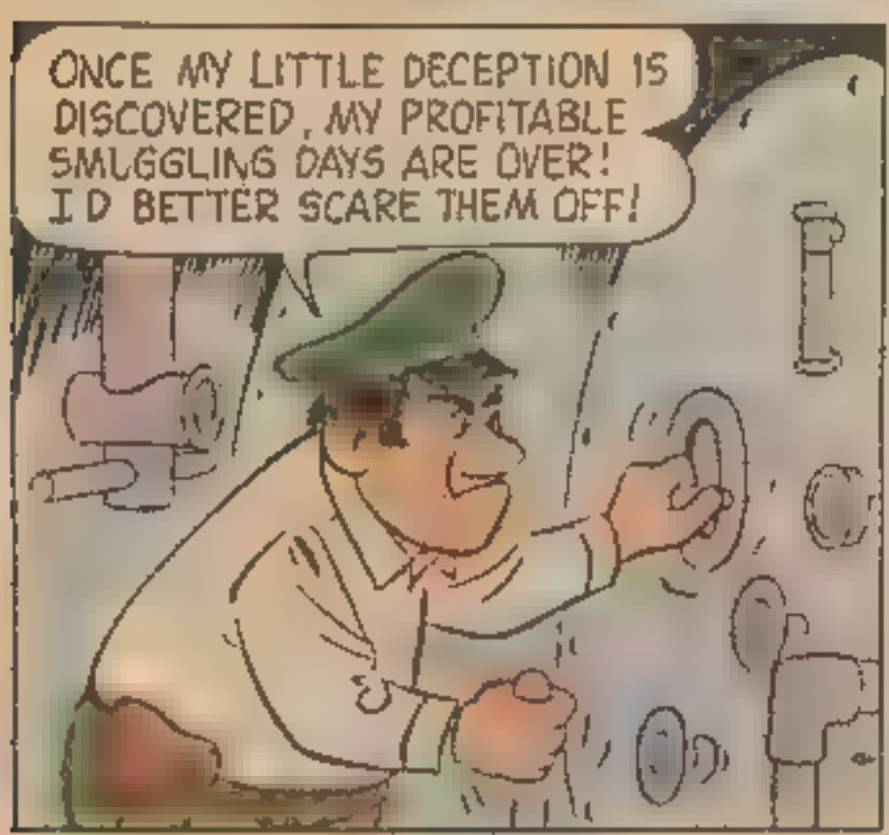

FIVE DEGREES TO PORT, SKIPPER! HERE'S YOUR OUTFIT, MR. DORGAN!
MY BIG CHANCE! I'M ALL IN A DITHER!

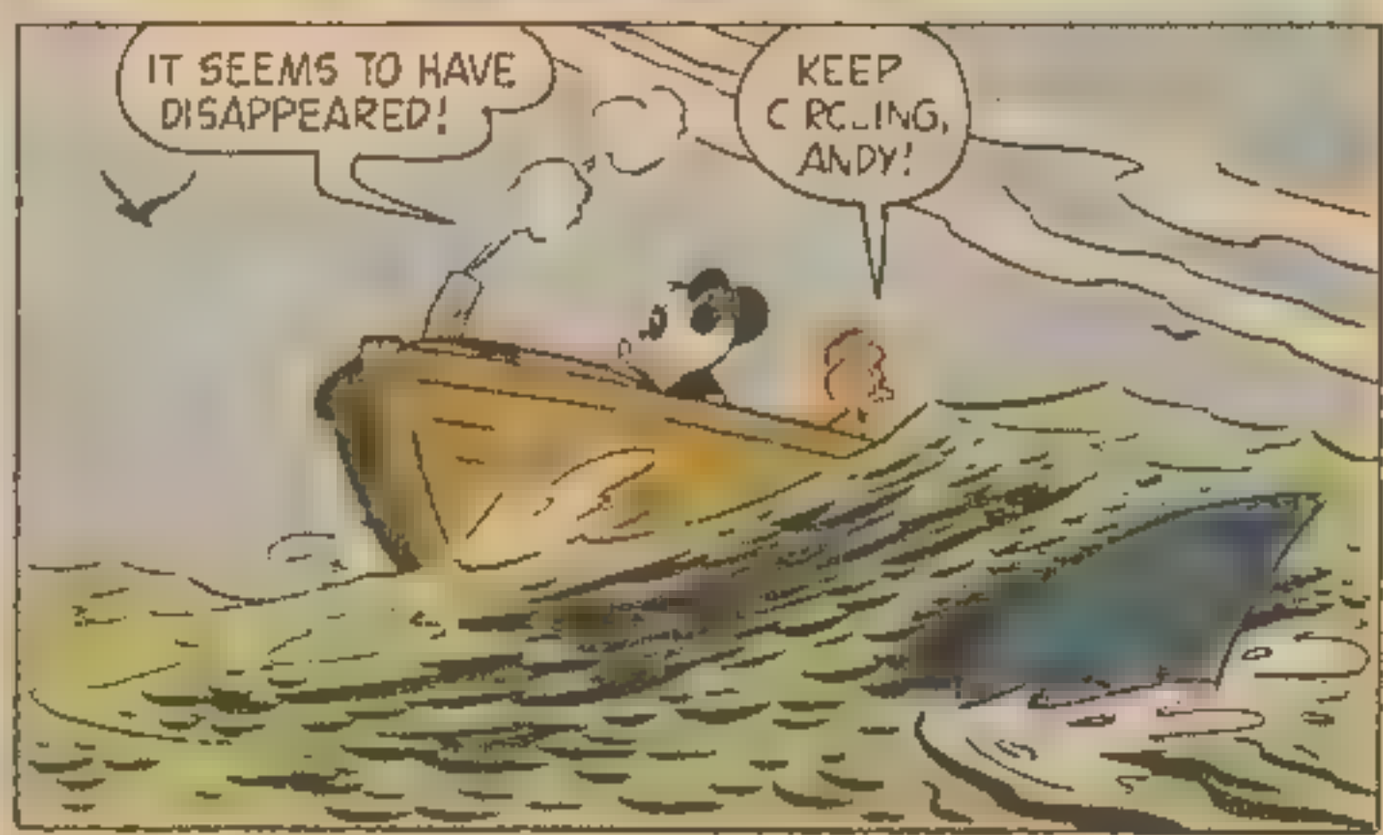

WOW! IT'S A WHOPPER, ALL RIGHT! WATCH IT, MR. DORGAN!

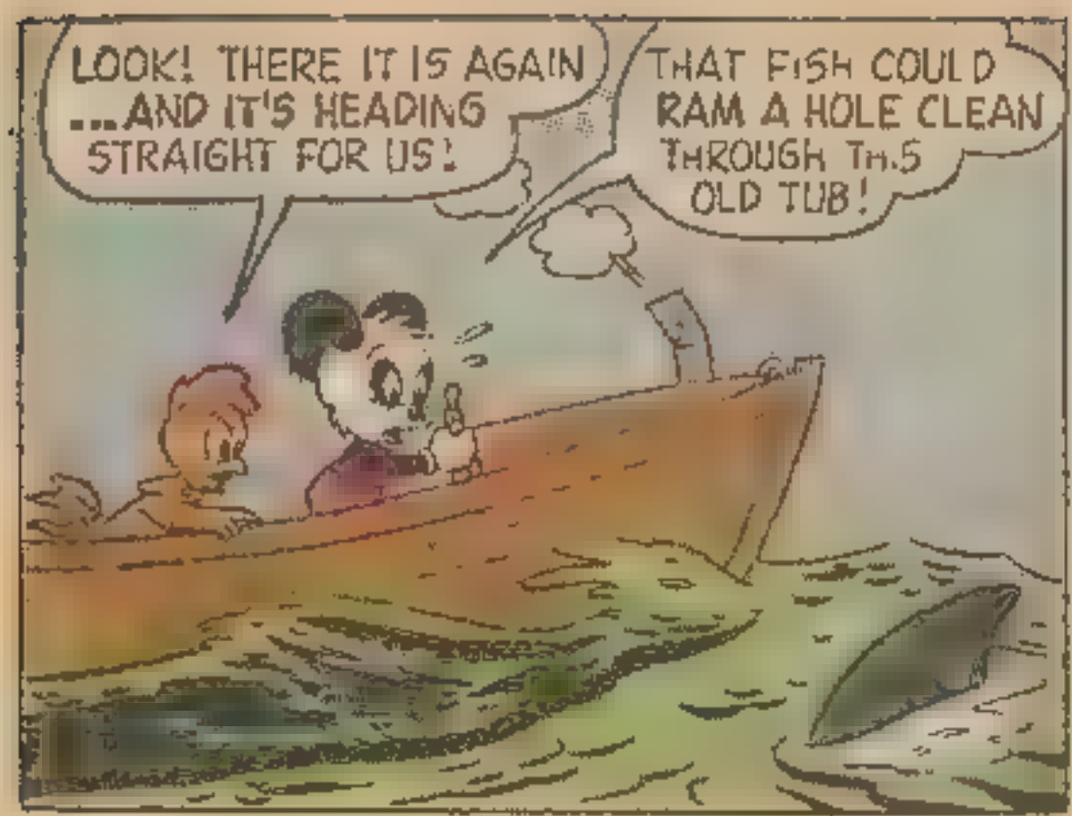

IT DOVE DOWN!
I'LL CIRCLE THE AREA!

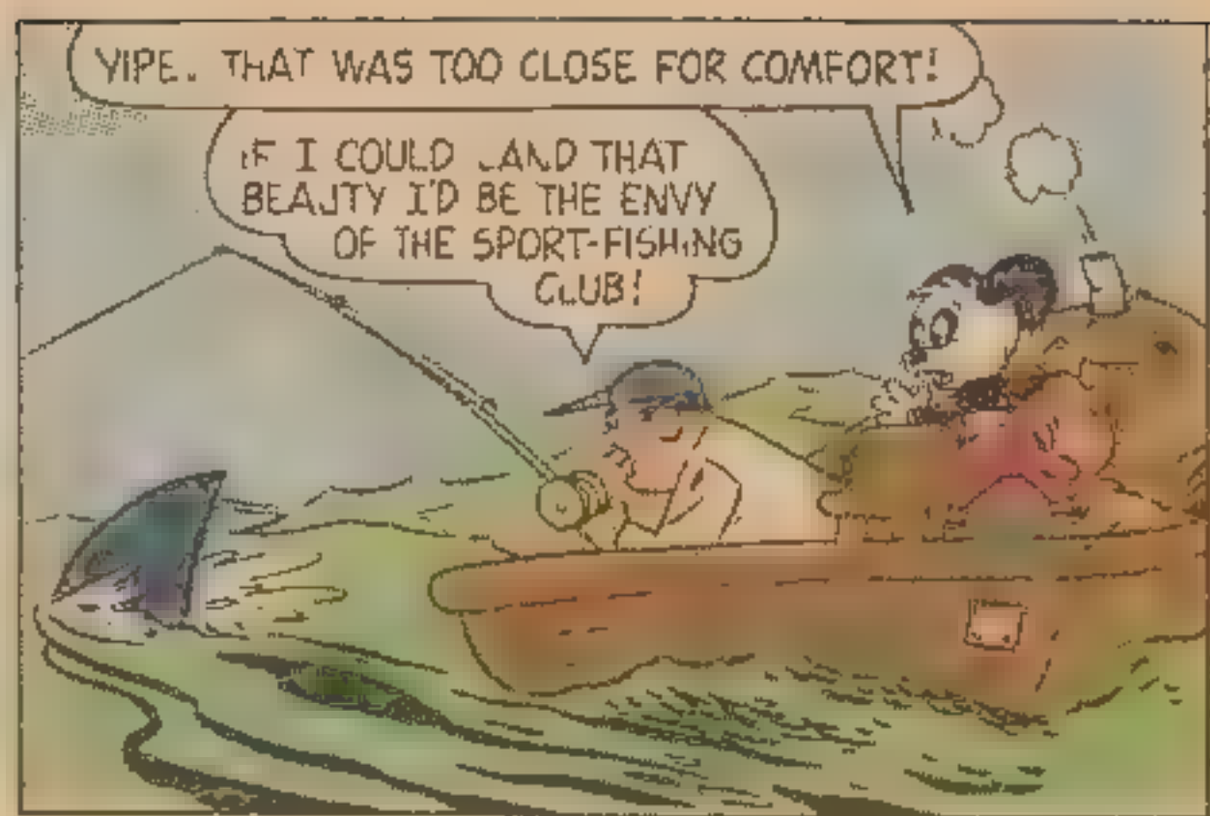
WHILE A SHORT WAY OFF..
AVAST! THOSE SNOOPERS MUST BE LOOKING FOR SOMETHING!

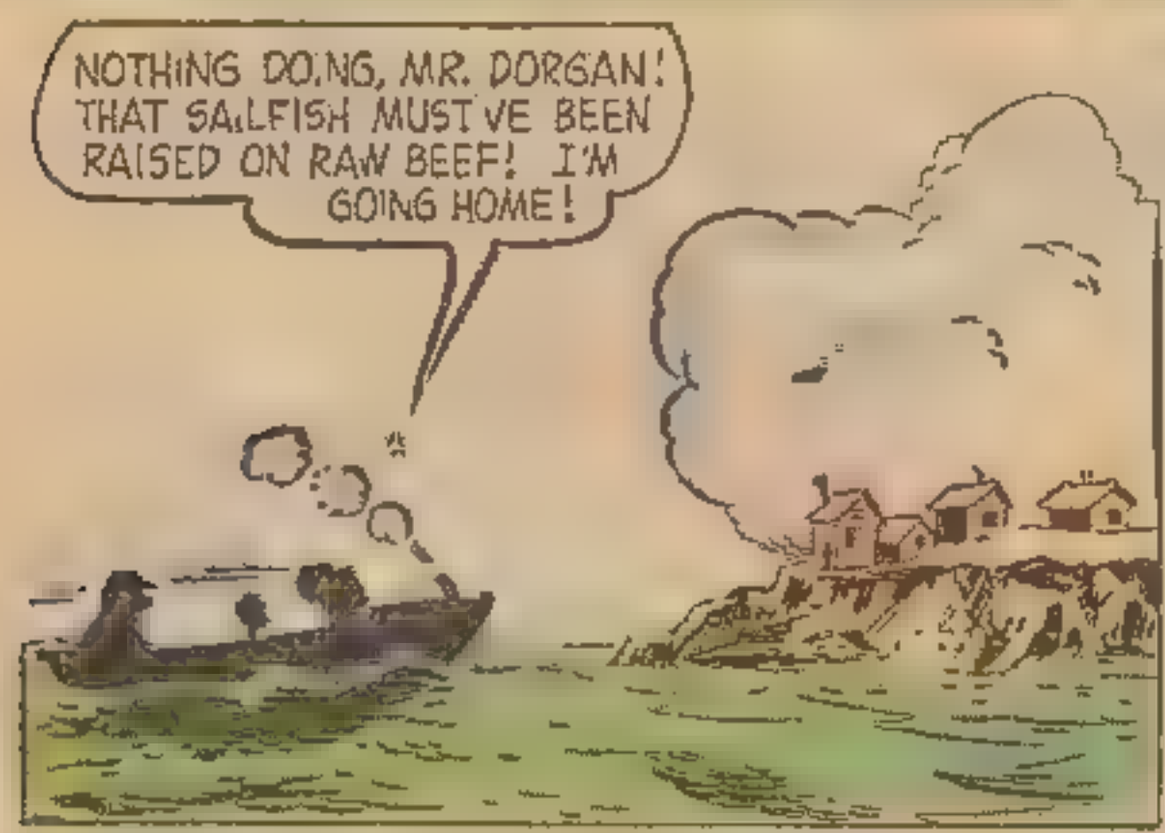

CAN IT BE THEY'VE SEEN THROUGH MY CAMOUFLAGE?

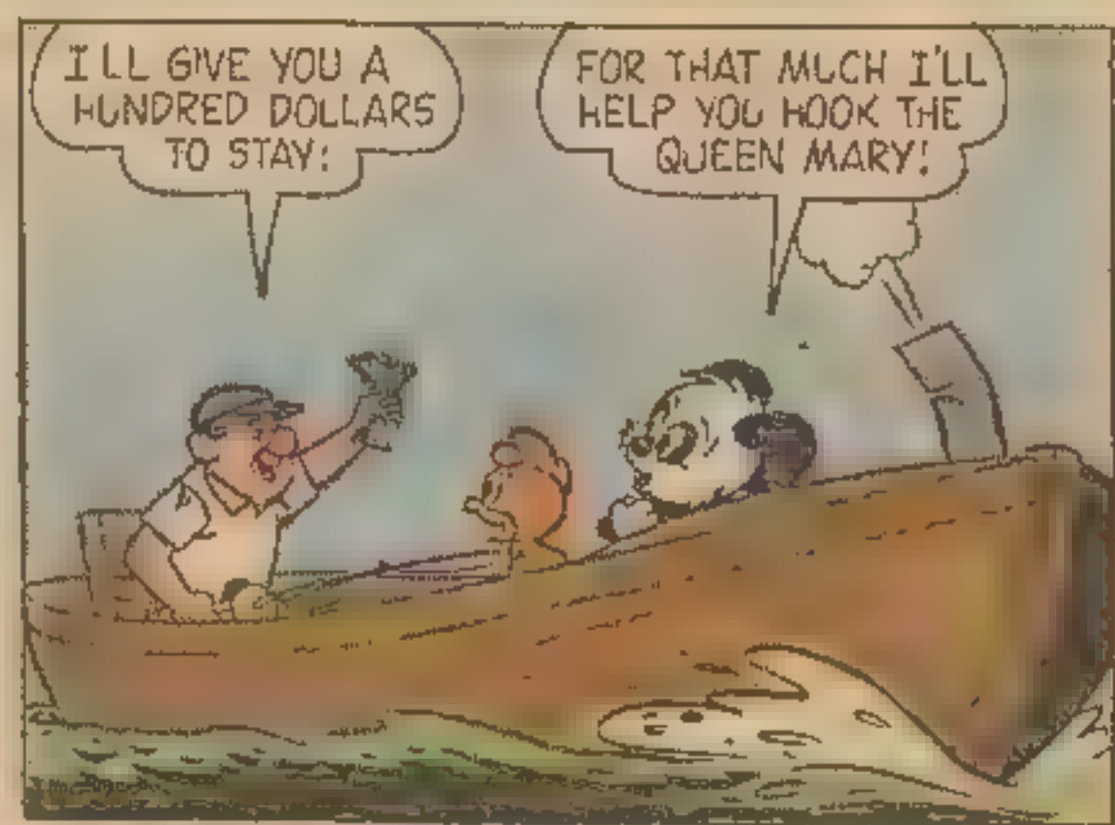

ONCE MY LITTLE DECEPTION IS DISCOVERED, MY PROFITABLE SMUGGLING DAYS ARE OVER! I'D BETTER SCARE THEM OFF!

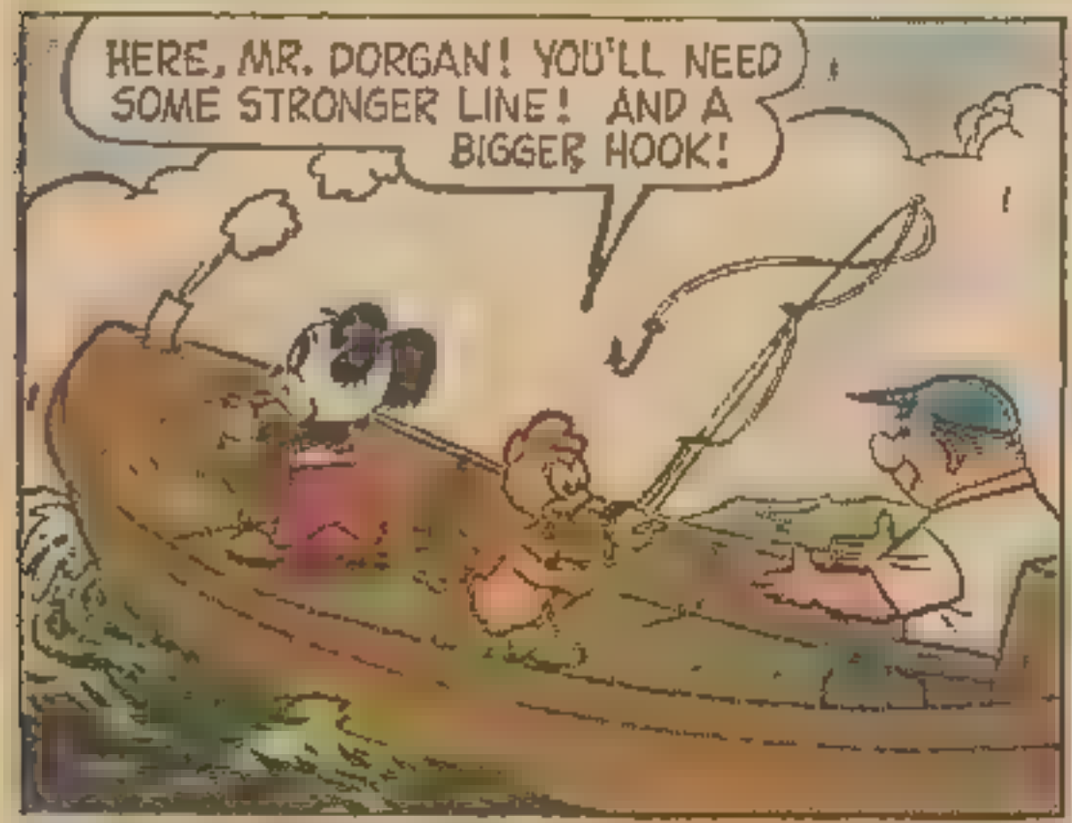

IT SEEMS TO HAVE DISAPPEARED!
KEEP CIRCLING, ANDY!

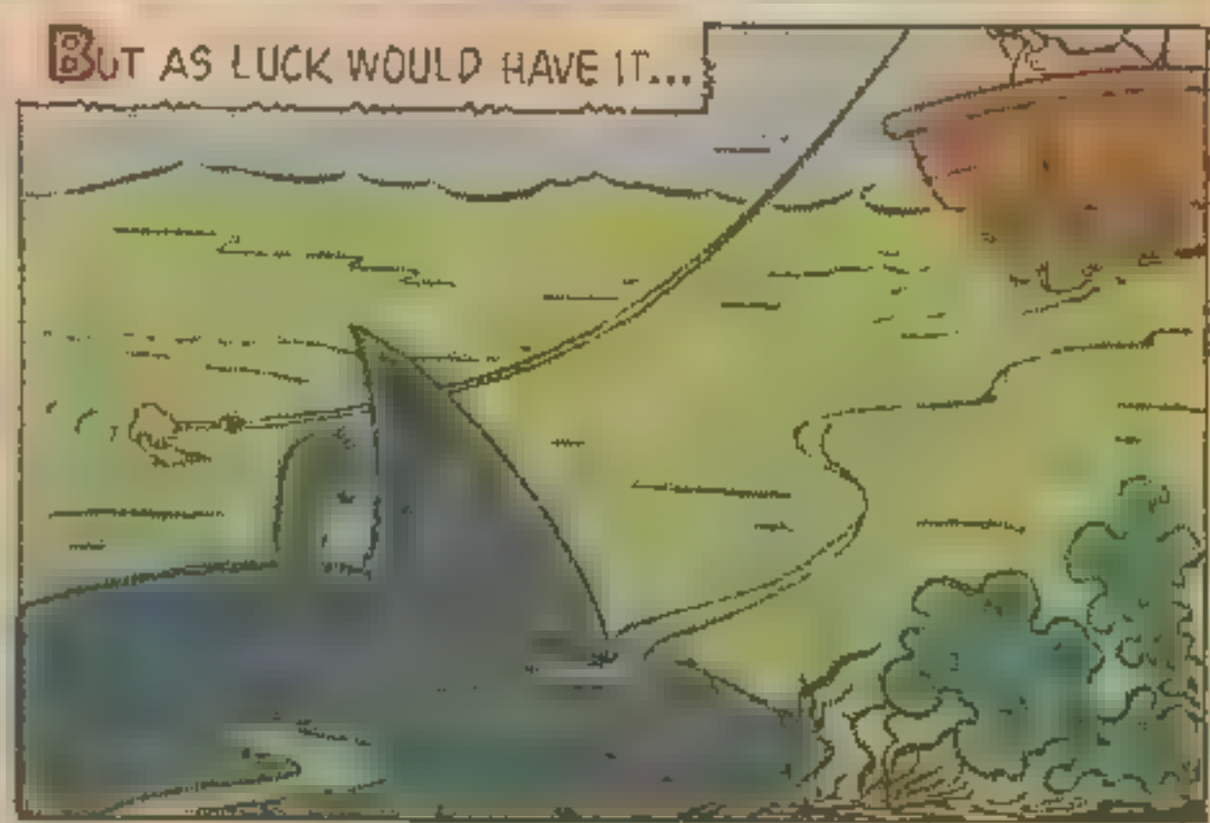

LOOK! THERE IT IS AGAIN ...AND IT'S HEADING STRAIGHT FOR US!
THAT FISH COULD RAM A HOLE CLEAN THROUGH THIS OLD TUB!

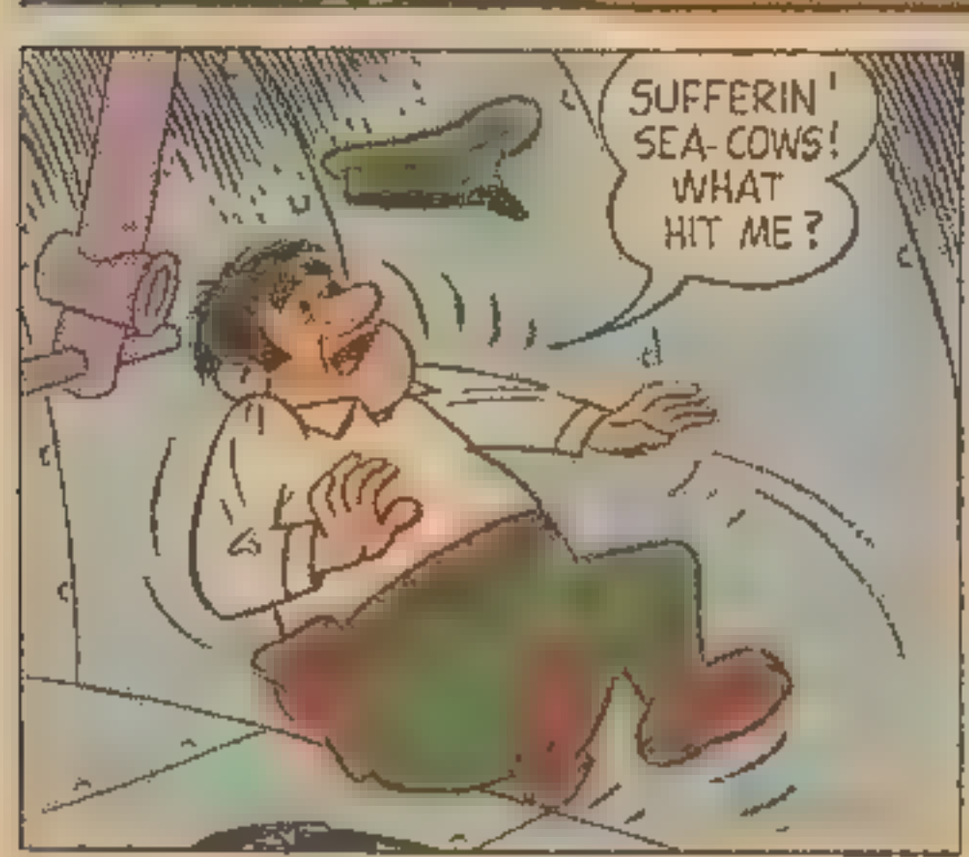

YIPE. THAT WAS TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT!
IF I COULD LAND THAT BEAUTY I'D BE THE ENVY OF THE SPORT-FISHING CLUB!

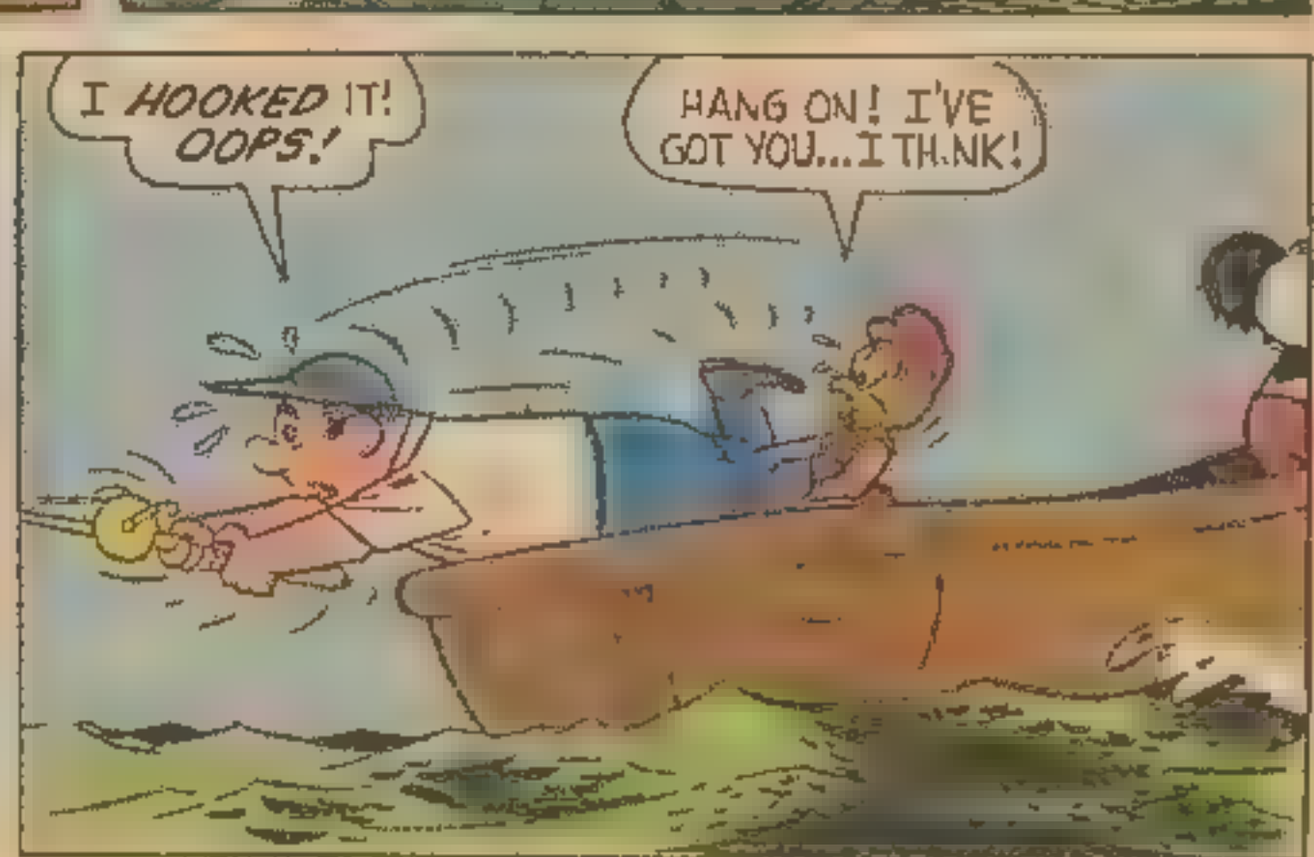

NOTHING DOING, MR. DORGAN! THAT SAILFISH MUST'VE BEEN RAISED ON RAW BEEF! I'M GOING HOME!

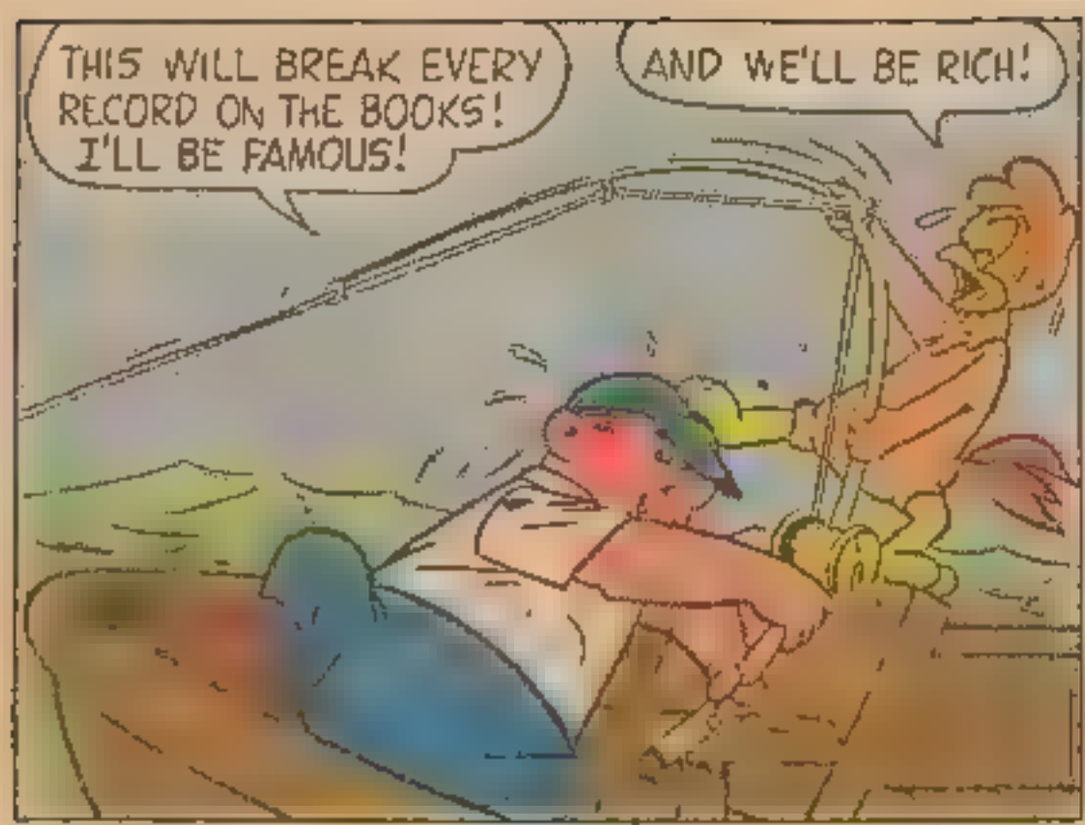

I'LL GIVE YOU A HUNDRED DOLLARS TO STAY!
FOR THAT MUCH I'LL HELP YOU HOOK THE QUEEN MARY!

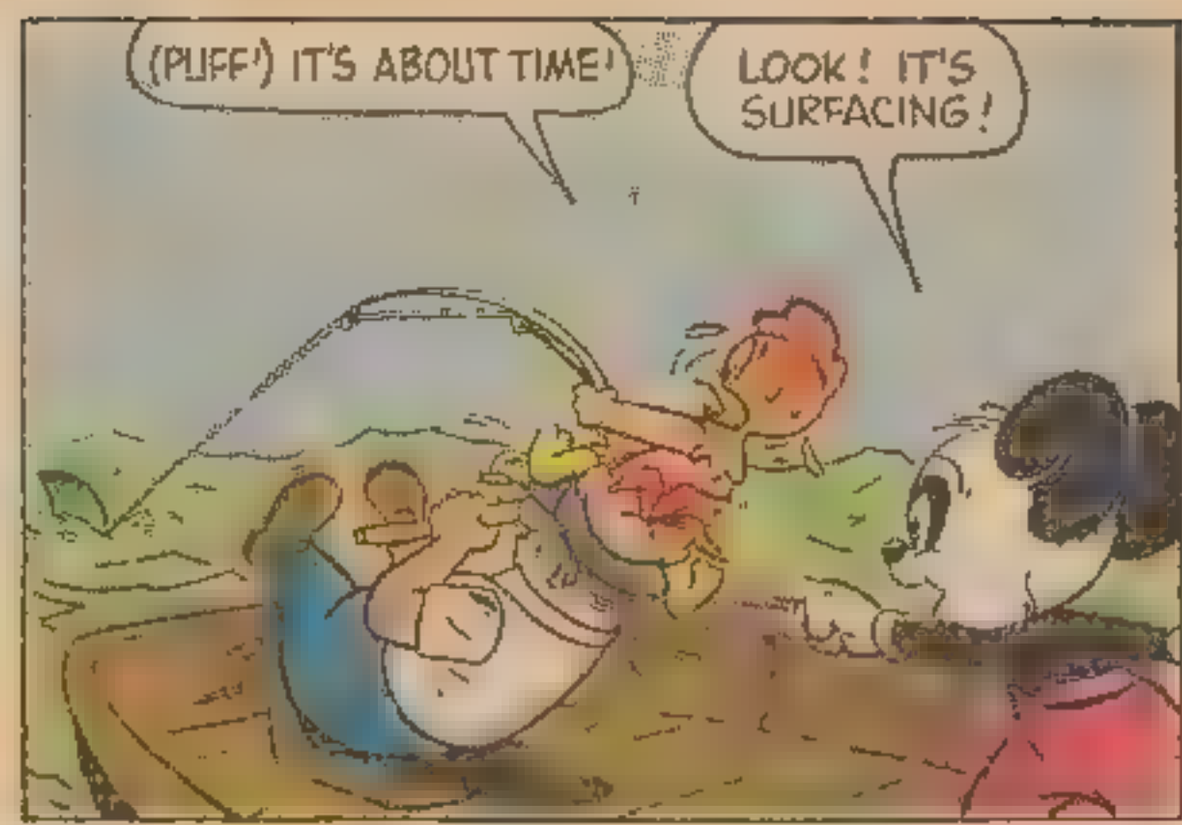

HERE, MR. DORGAN! YOU'LL NEED SOME STRONGER LINE! AND A BIGGER HOOK!

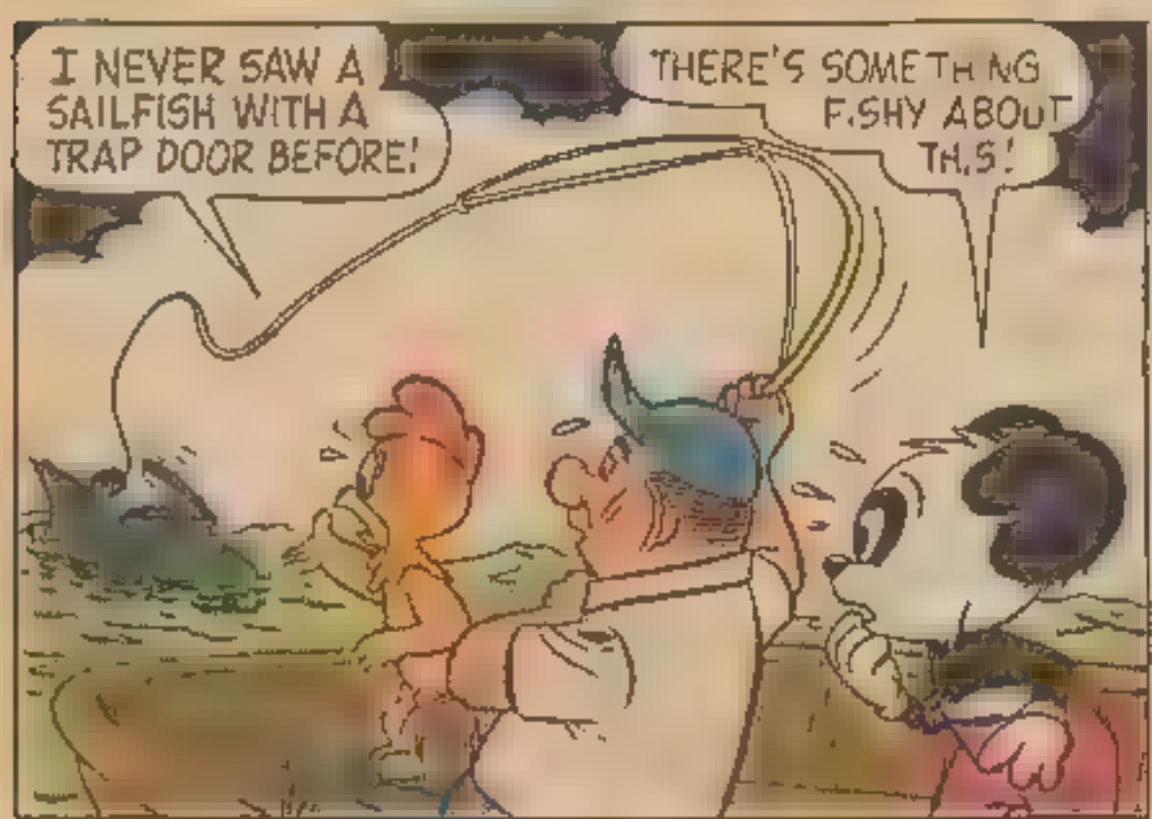

BUT AS LUCK WOULD HAVE IT...

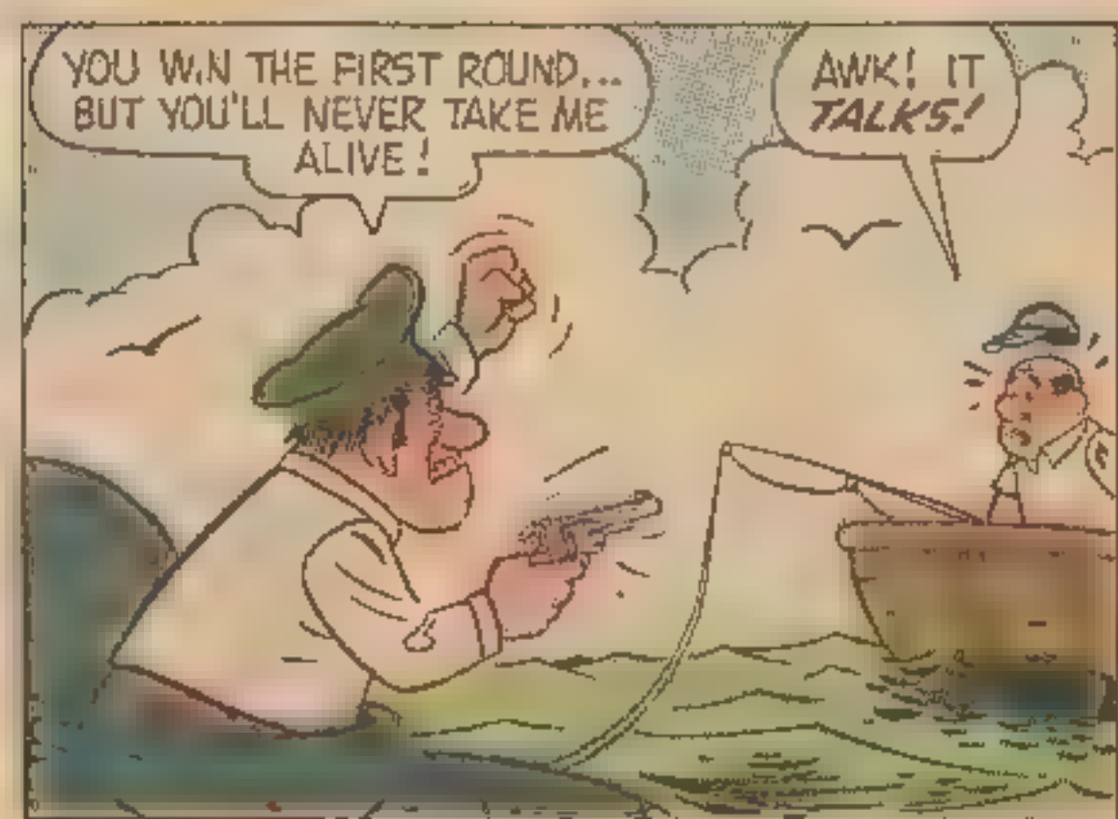

SUFFERIN' SEA-COWS! WHAT HIT ME?

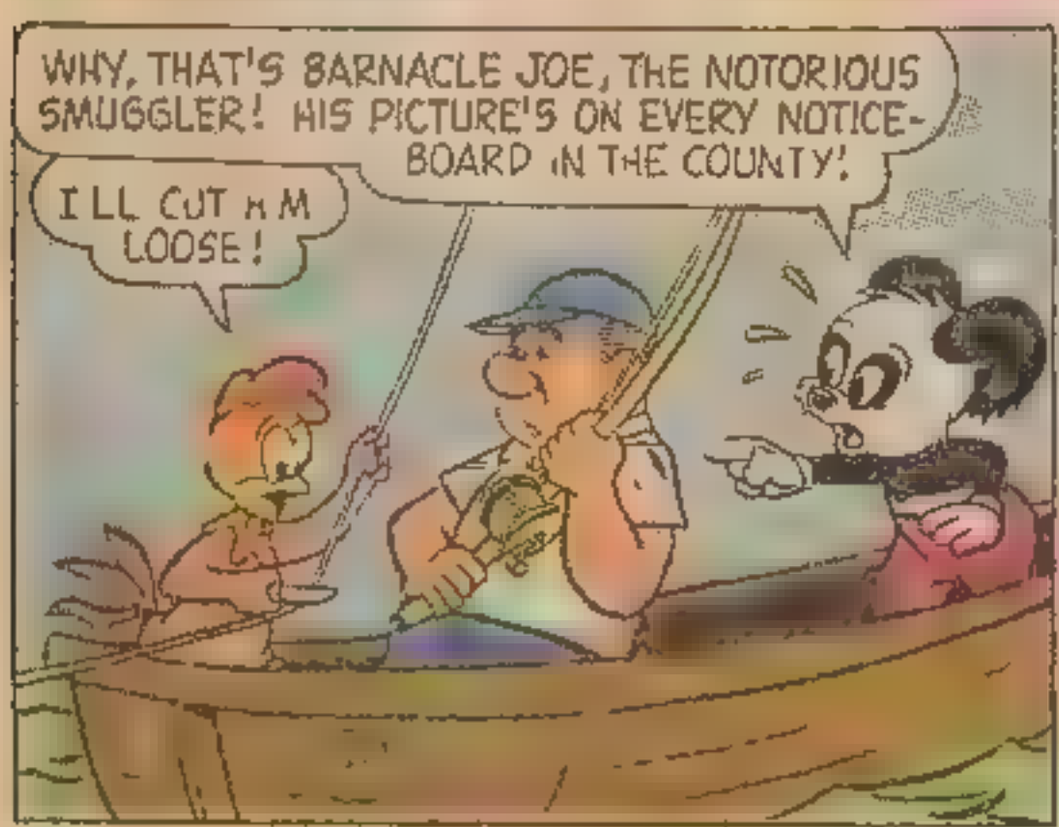

I HOOKED IT! OOPS!
HANG ON! I'VE GOT YOU...I THINK!


THIS WILL BREAK EVERY RECORD ON THE BOOKS! I'LL BE FAMOUS!
AND WE'LL BE RICH!

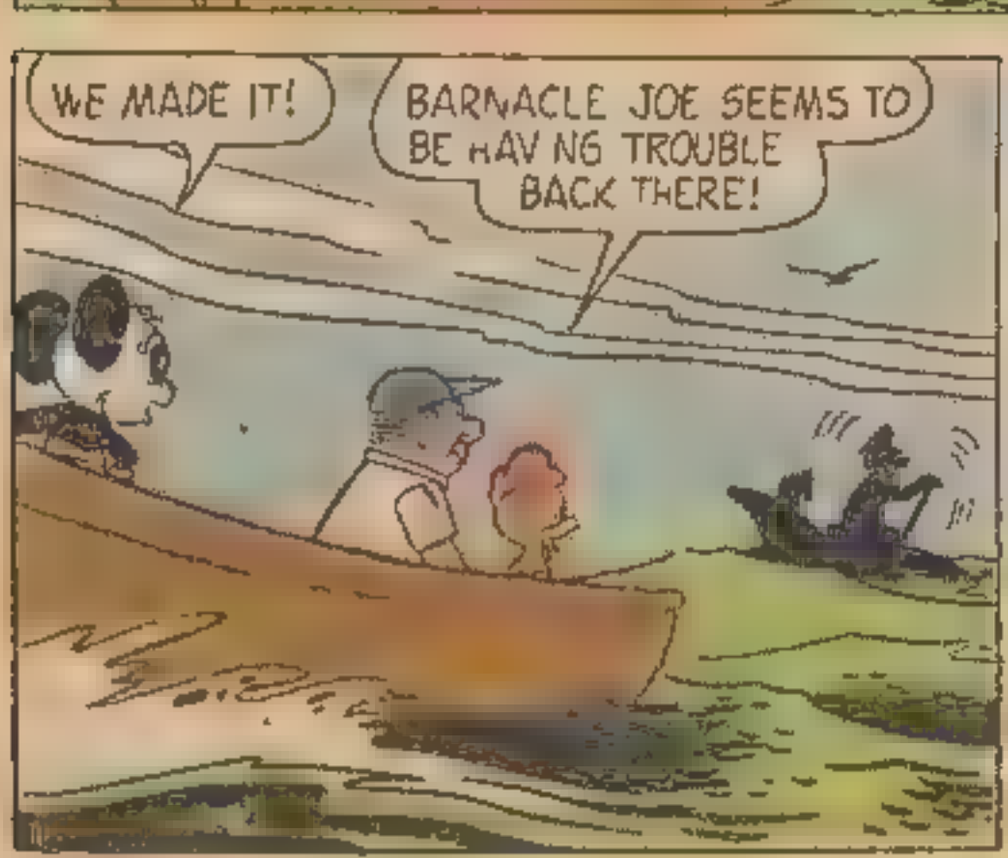

(PUFF!) IT'S ABOUT TIME!
LOOK! IT'S SURFACING!

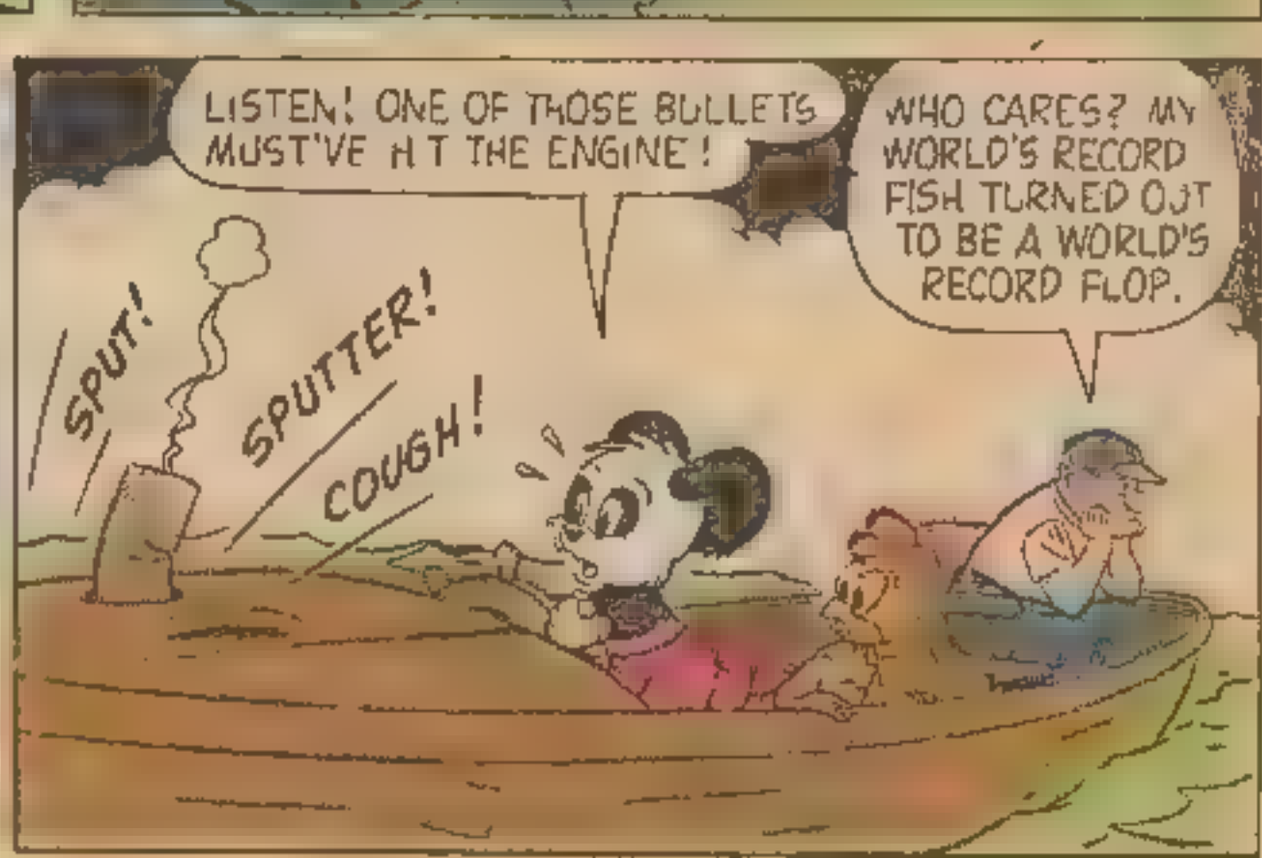

I NEVER SAW A SAILFISH WITH A TRAP DOOR BEFORE!
THERE'S SOMETHING FISHY ABOUT THIS!

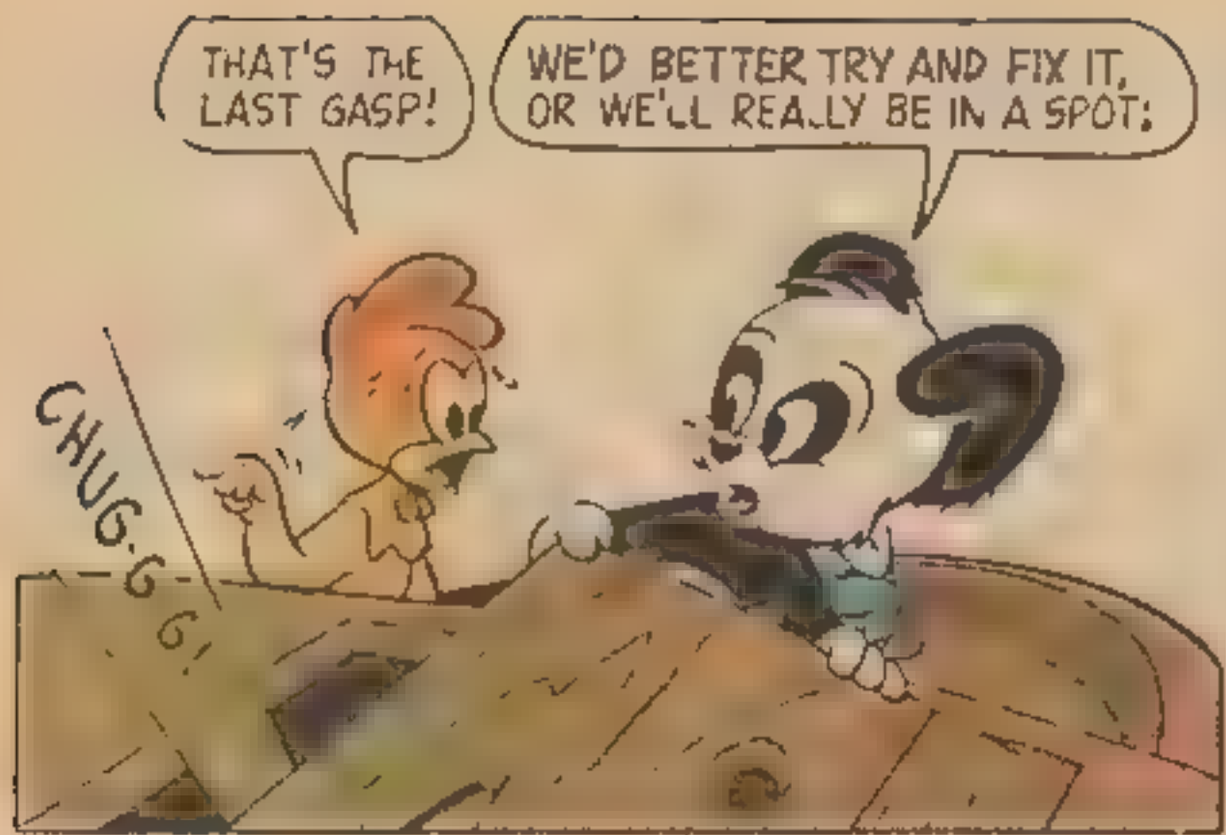

YOU WIN THE FIRST ROUND... BUT YOU'LL NEVER TAKE ME ALIVE!
AWK! IT TALKS!

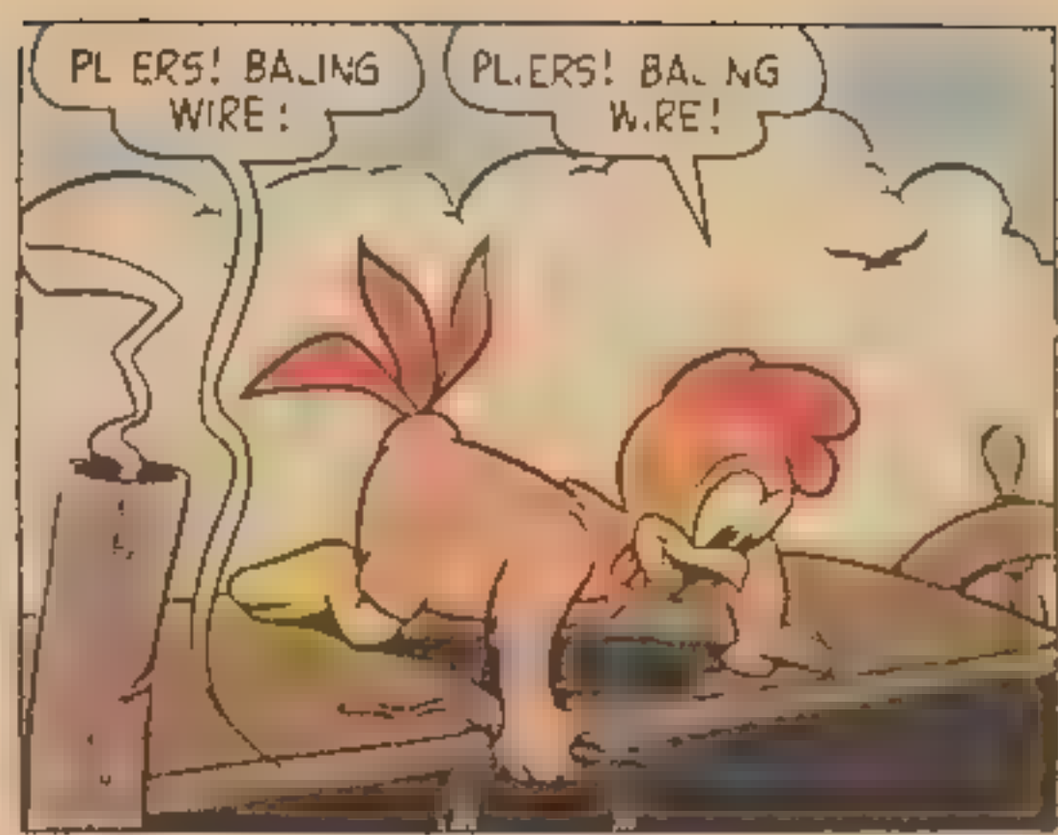

WHY, THAT'S BARNACLE JOE, THE NOTORIOUS SMUGGLER! HIS PICTURE'S ON EVERY NOTICE-BOARD IN THE COUNTY!
I'LL CUT HIM LOOSE!

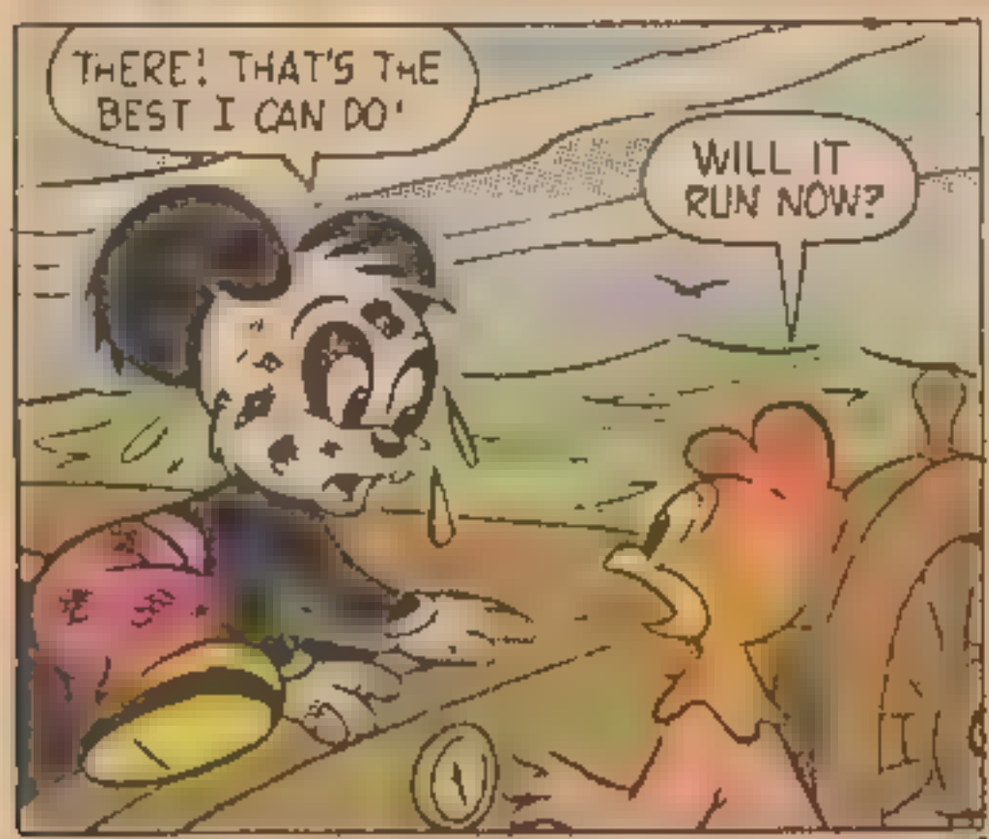
LET'S GET OUT OF HERE...BUT FAST!
I CAN'T LET YOU GET TO THE AUTHORITIES WITH MY SECRET!
BANG! BANG!
BANG!

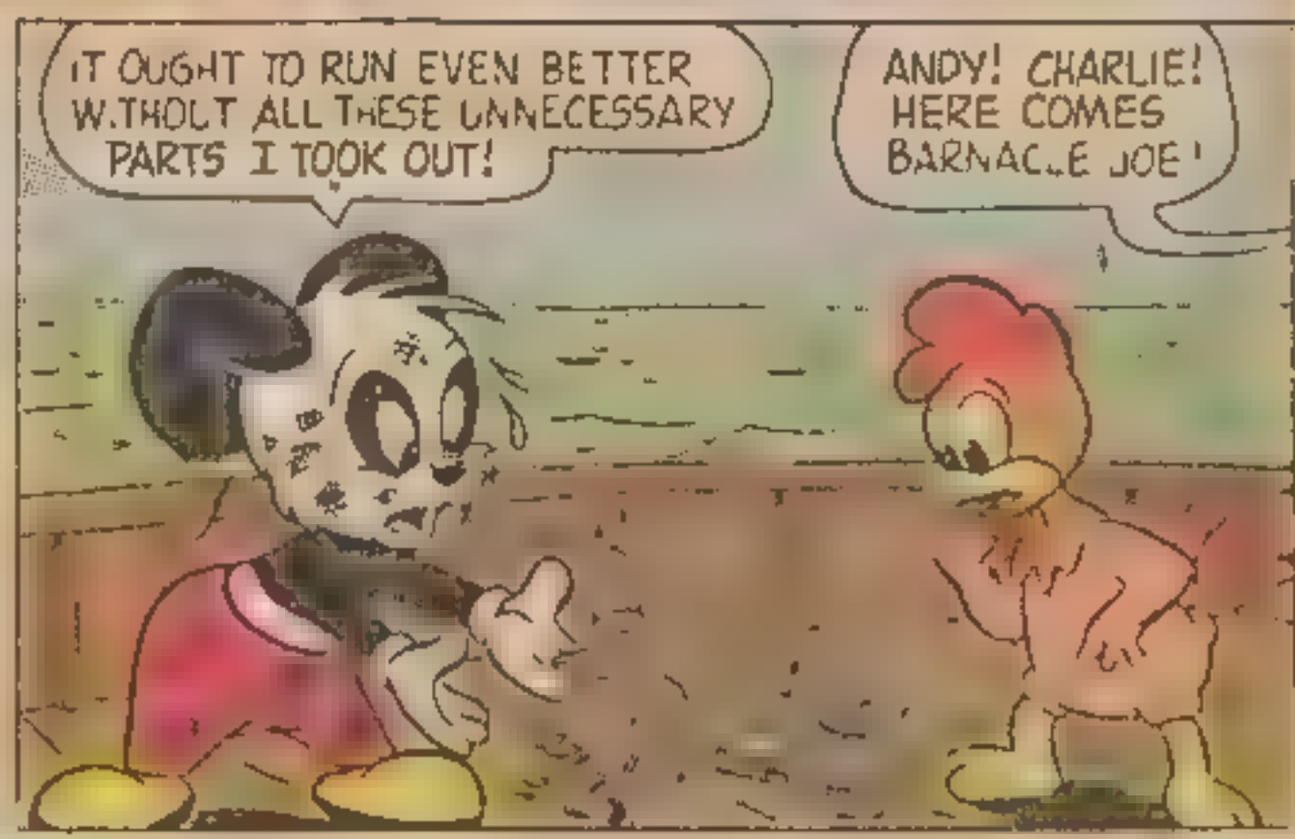

WE MADE IT!
BARNACLE JOE SEEMS TO BE HAVING TROUBLE BACK THERE!

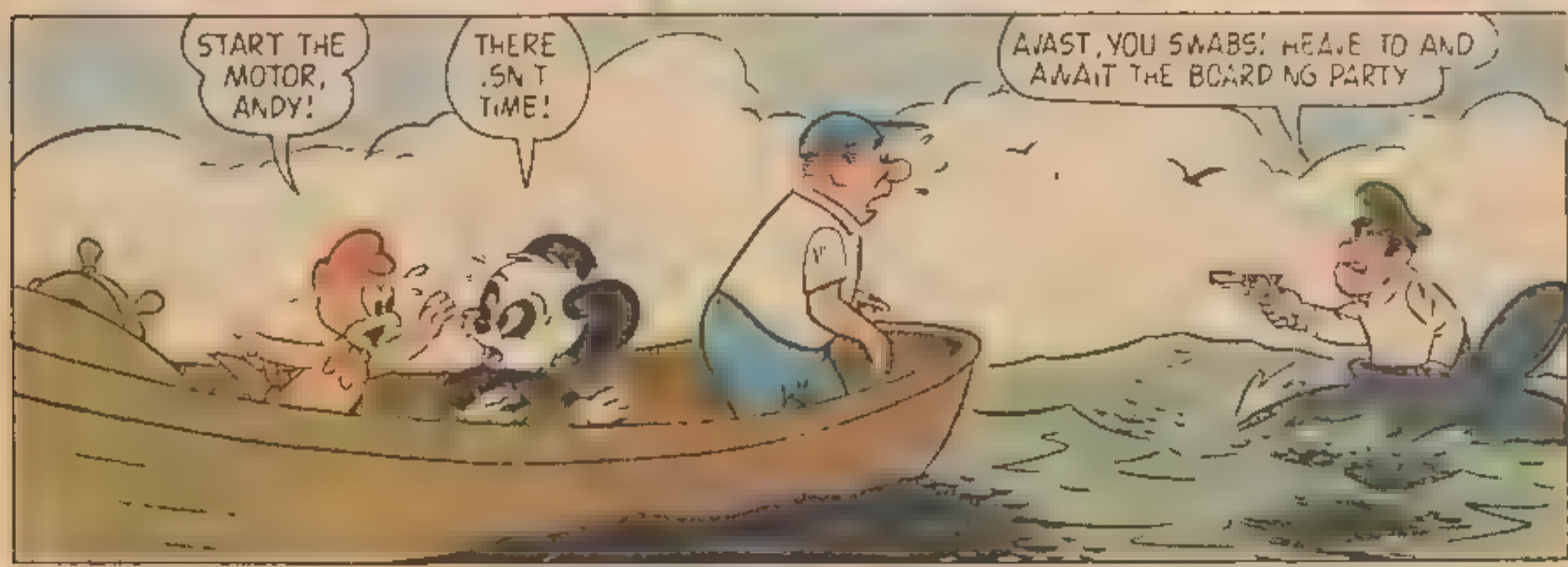

LISTEN! ONE OF THOSE BULLETS MUST'VE HIT THE ENGINE!
WHO CARES? MY WORLD'S RECORD FISH TURNED OUT TO BE A WORLD'S RECORD FLOP.
SPUT!
SPUTTER!
COUGH!

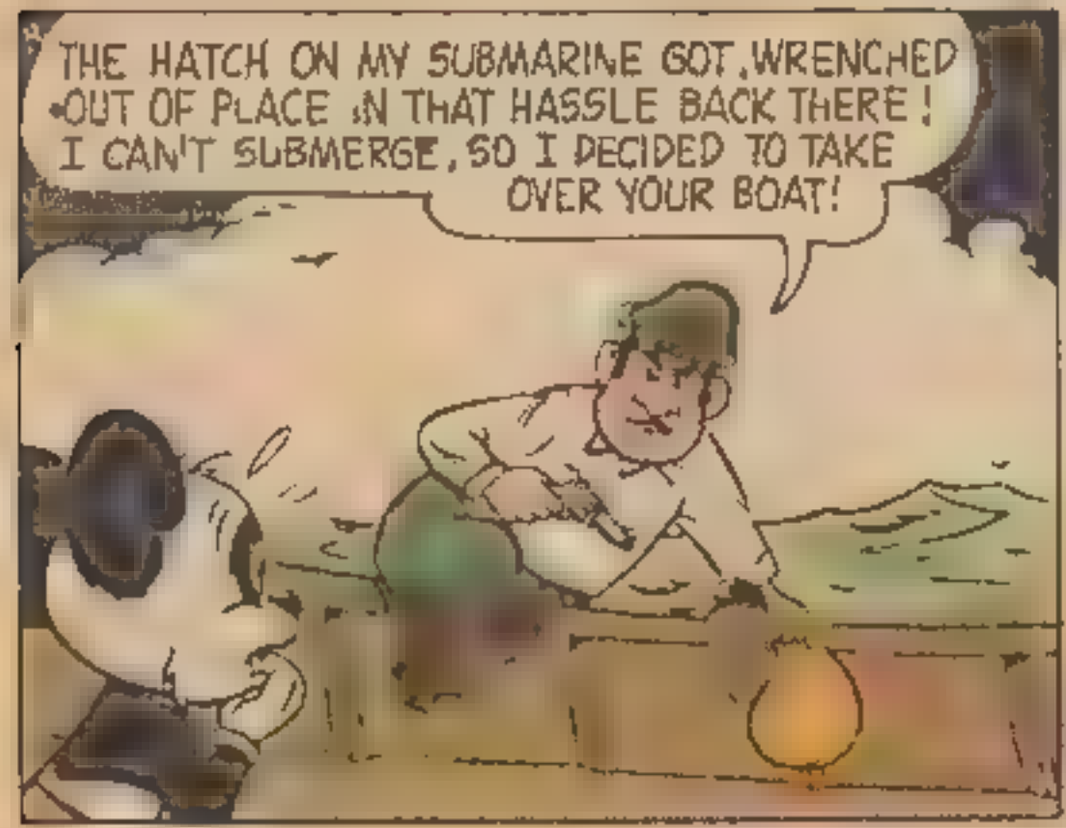

THAT'S THE LAST GASP!
WE'D BETTER TRY AND FIX IT, OR WE'LL REALLY BE IN A SPOT!
CHUG-G-G!

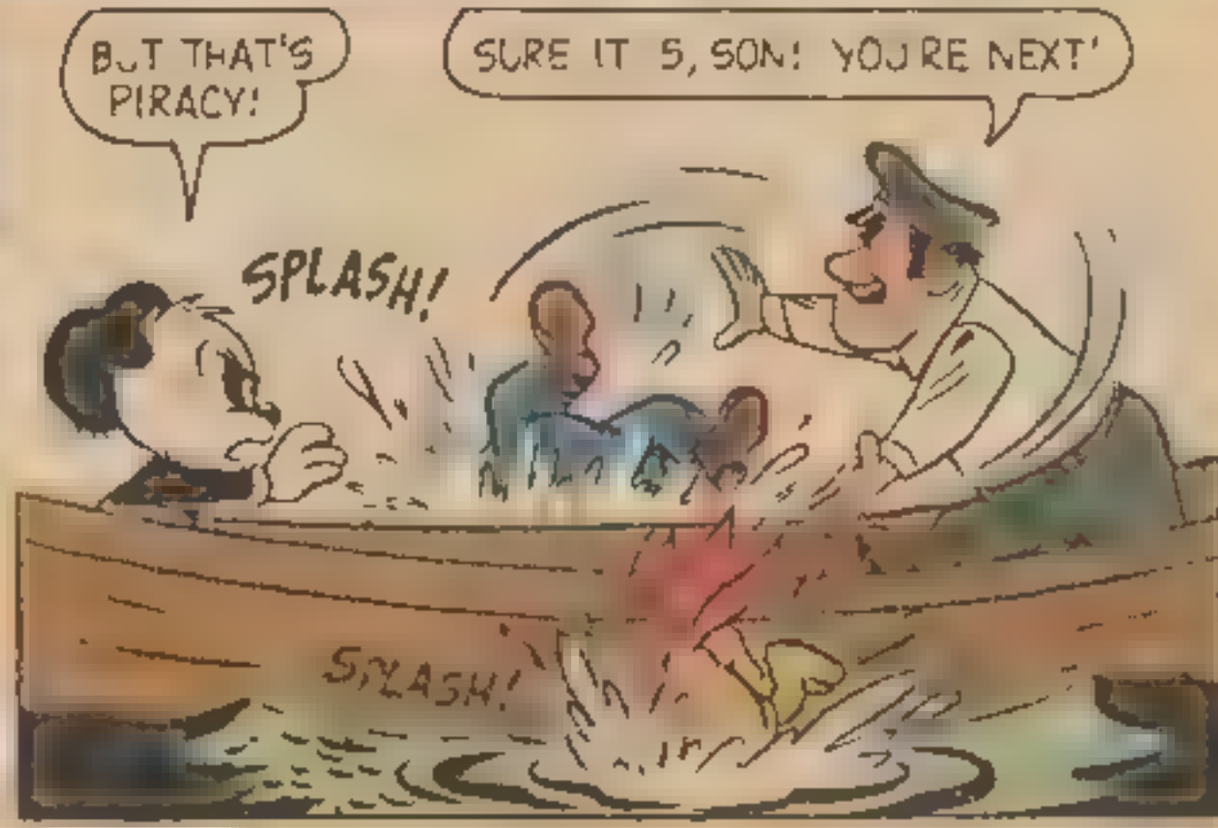

PL ERS! BAJING WIRE!
PL.ERS! BA. NG W.RE!


THERE! THAT'S THE BEST I CAN DO!
WILL IT RUN NOW?


IT OUGHT TO RUN EVEN BETTER W.THOUT ALL THESE UNNECESSARY PARTS I TOOK OUT!
ANDY! CHARLIE! HERE COMES BARNACLE JOE!


START THE MOTOR, ANDY!
THERE .SN T TIME!
AVAST, YOU SWABS! HEAVE TO AND AWAIT THE BOARD NG PARTY

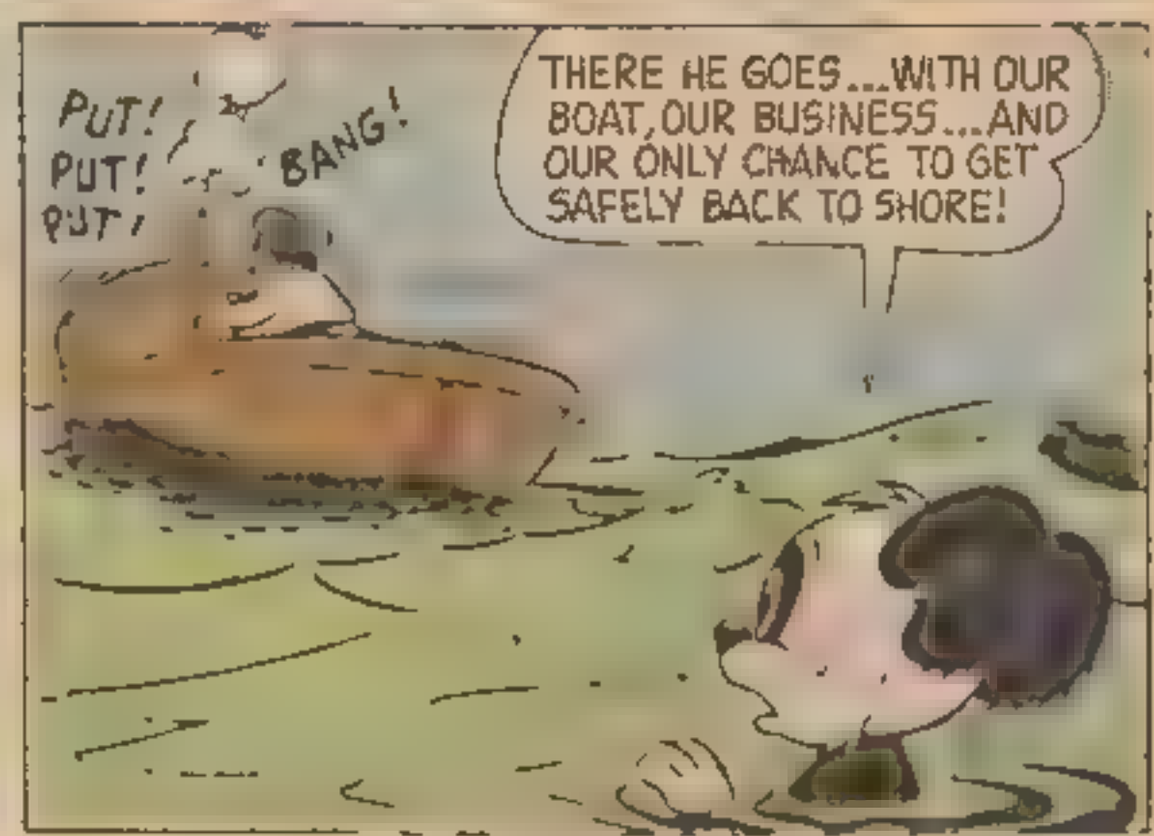

THE HATCH ON MY SUBMARINE GOT WRENCHED OUT OF PLACE IN THAT HASSLE BACK THERE! I CAN'T SUBMERGE, SO I DECIDED TO TAKE OVER YOUR BOAT!

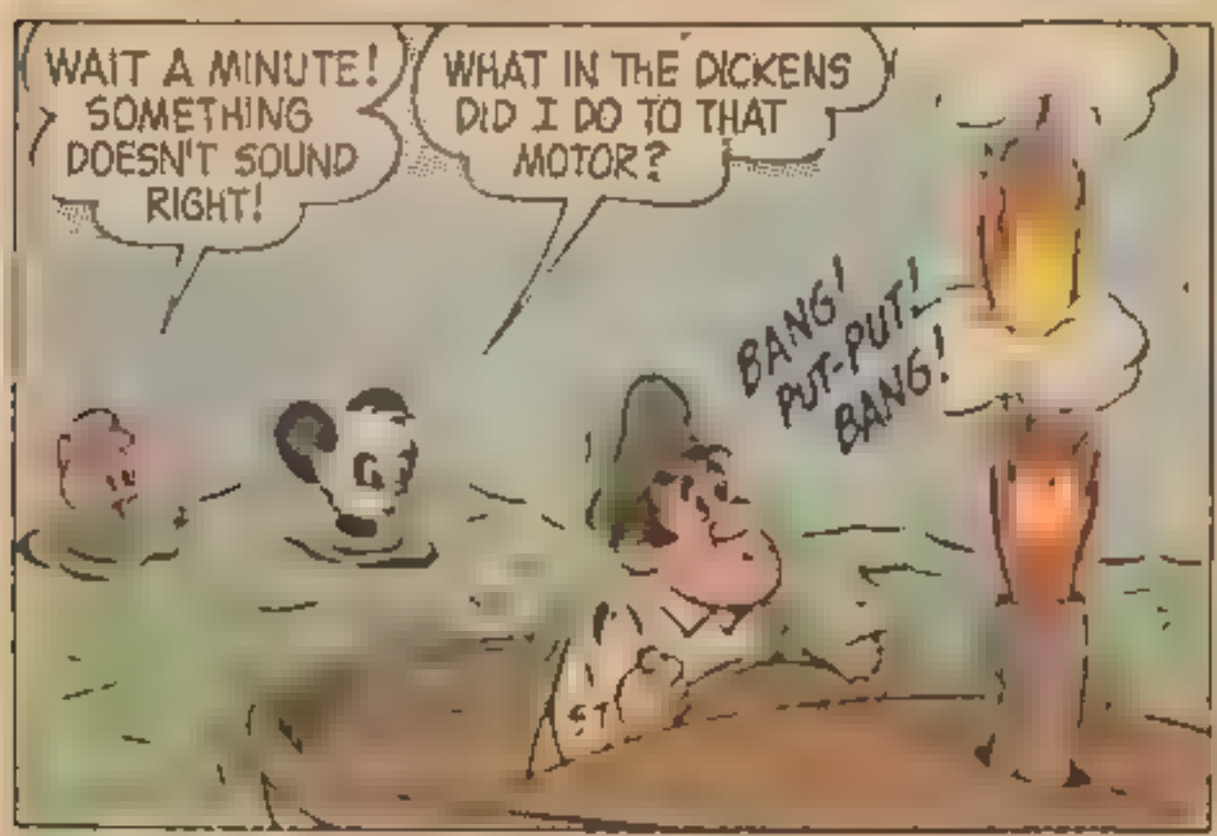

BUT THAT'S PIRACY!
SURE IT S, SON! YOU RE NEXT!
SPLASH!
SPLASH!

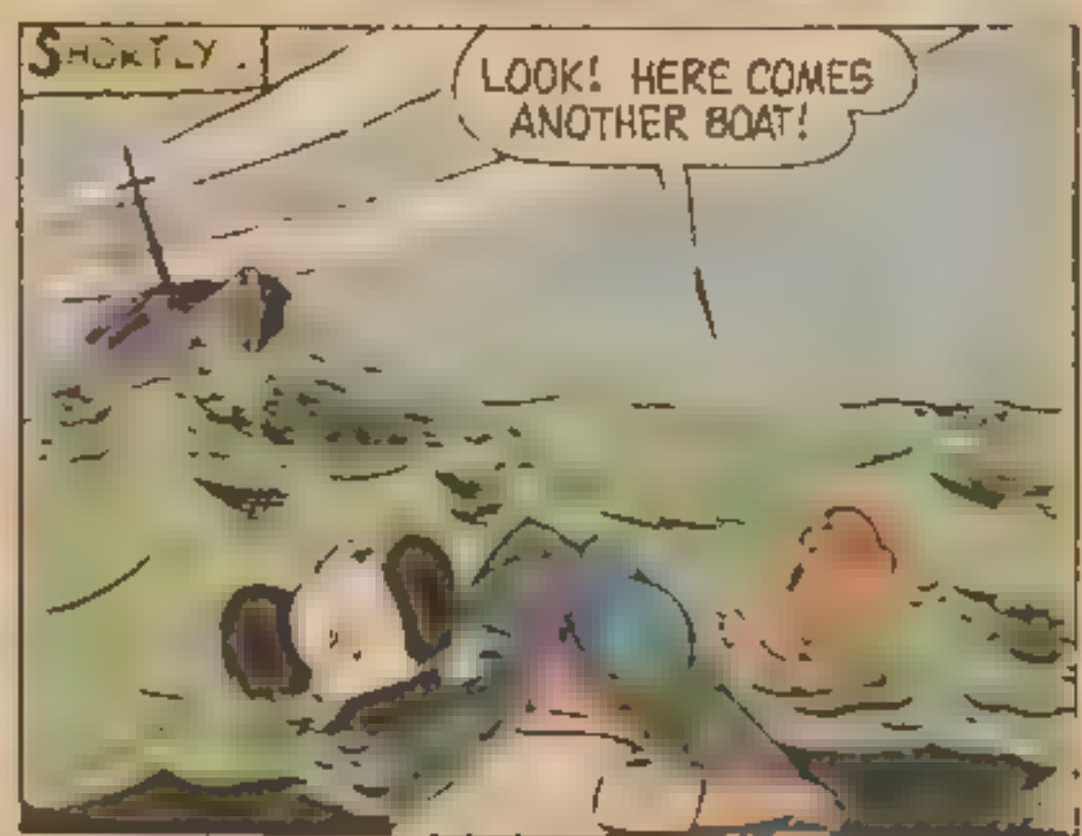
MY SUBMARINE IS SLOWLY SINKING, BUT IT MAY KEEP YOU UP UNTIL HELP ARRIVES... IF IT EVER DOES! HAR, HAR!

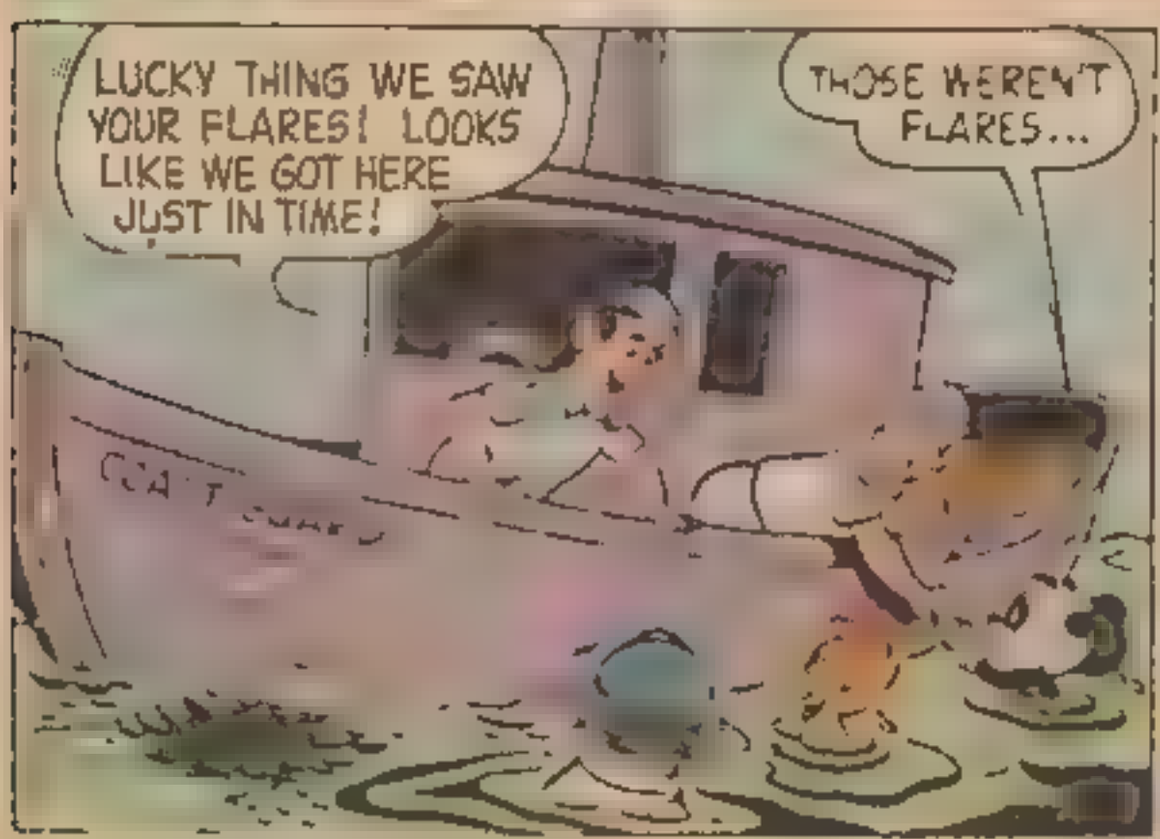
SORRY I CAN'T WAIT! GOT A DATE WITH THREE JEWELS I'M MEETING A TRAMP STEAMER OUT BEYOND THE TWELVE-MILE LIMIT.

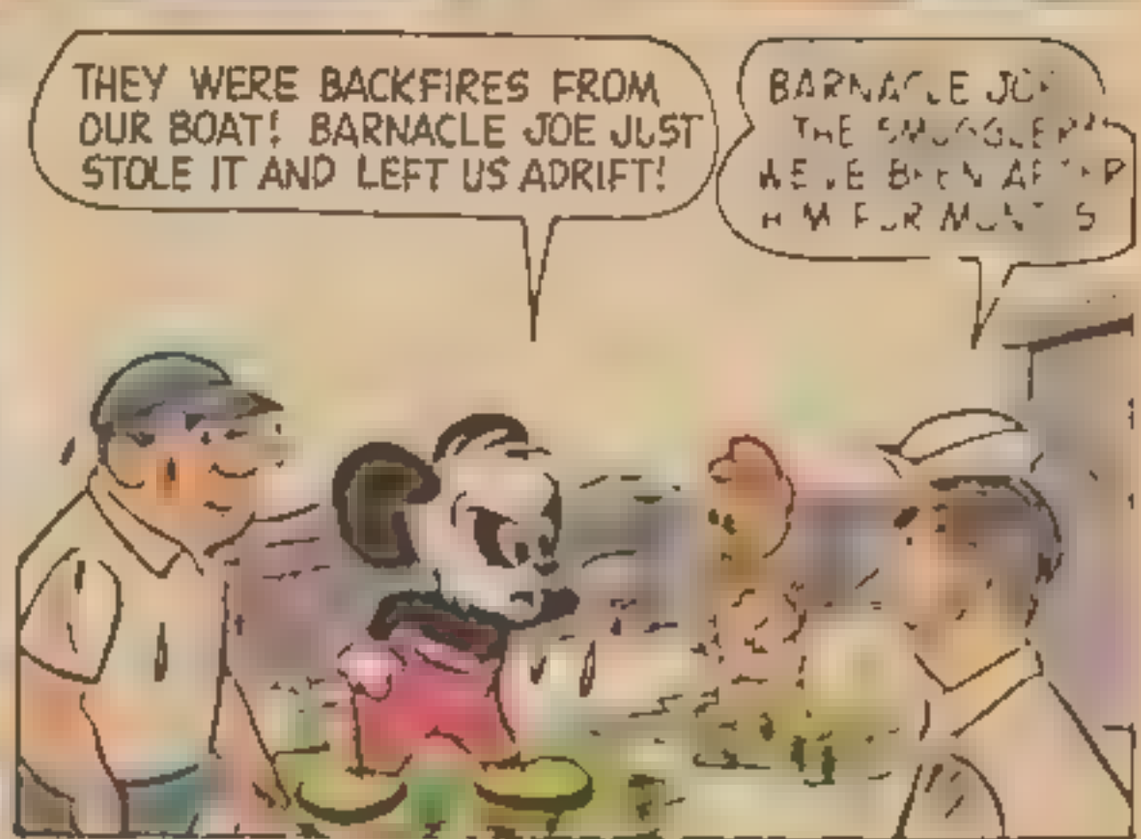
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THIS THING? WHY IN TARNATION WON'T IT START?
POP! BANG SPT!


PUT! PUT! PUT!
BANG!
THERE HE GOES...WITH OUR BOAT, OUR BUSINESS...AND OUR ONLY CHANCE TO GET SAFELY BACK TO SHORE!

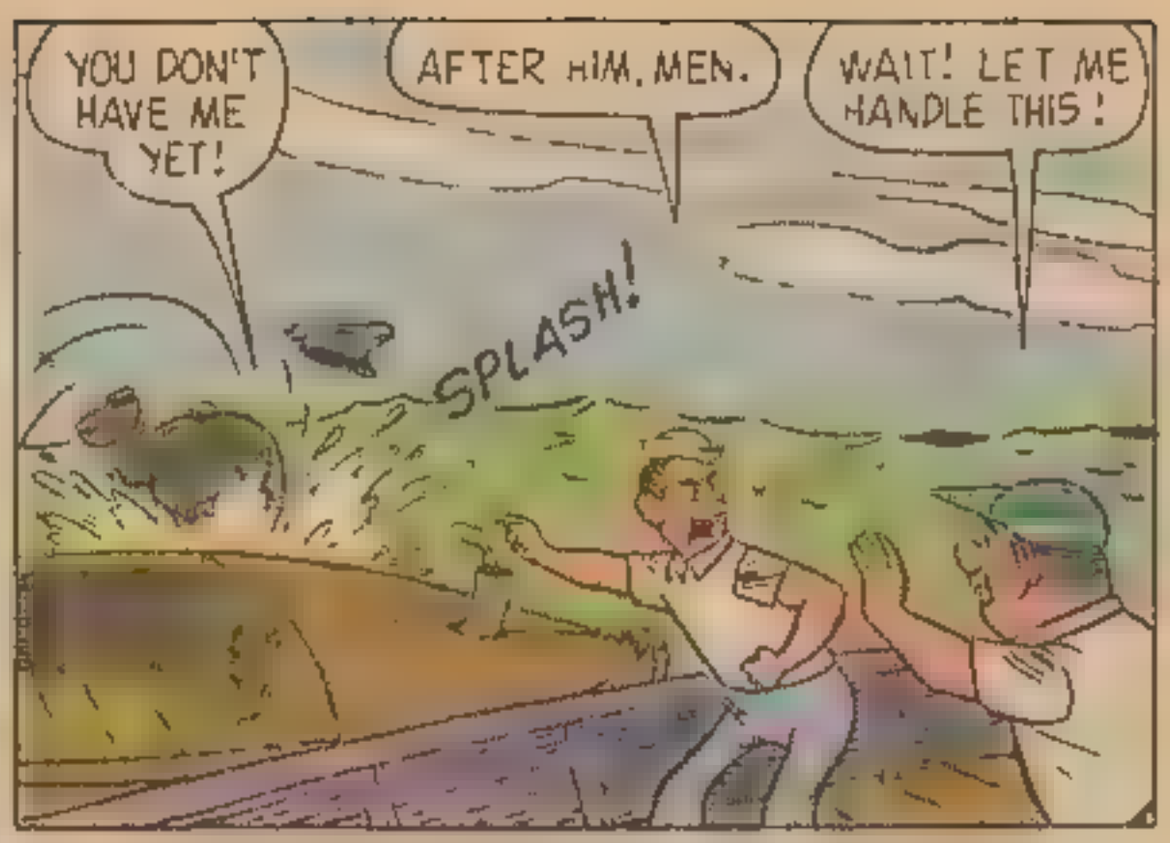

WAIT A MINUTE! SOMETHING DOESN'T SOUND RIGHT!
WHAT IN THE DICKENS DID I DO TO THAT MOTOR?
BANG! PUT-PUT! BANG!

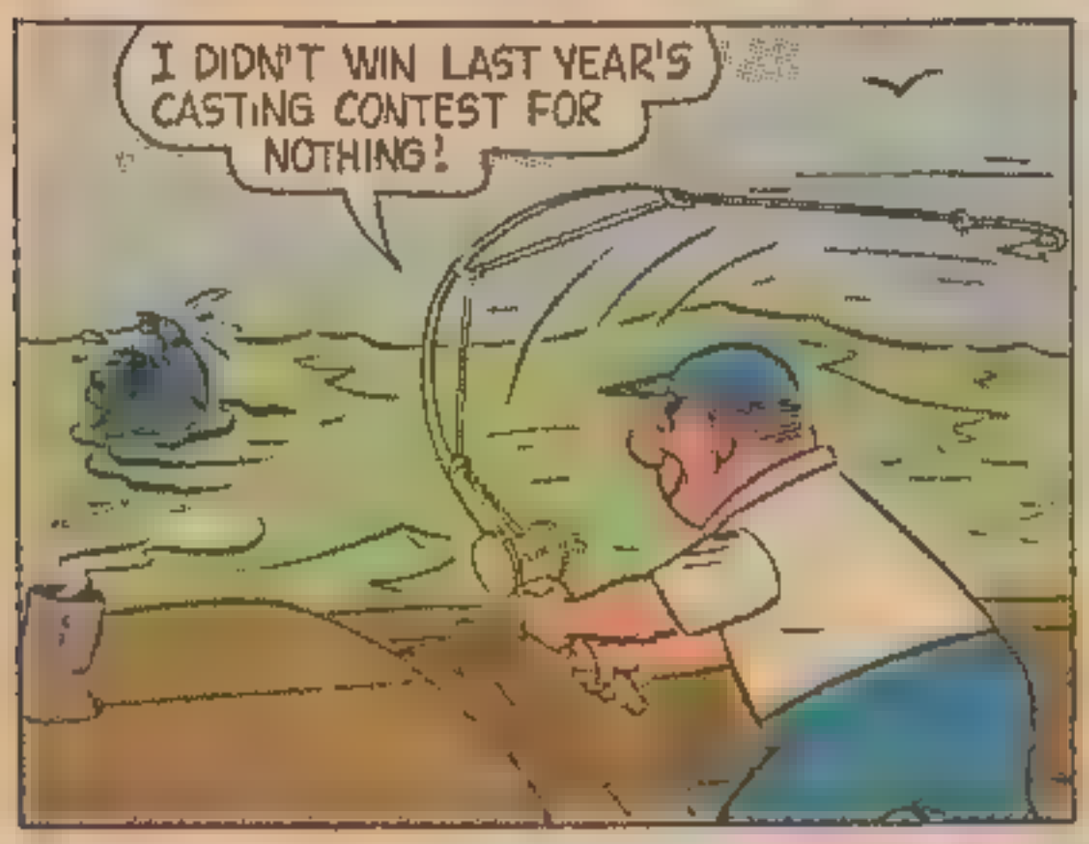

SHORTLY.
LOOK! HERE COMES ANOTHER BOAT!

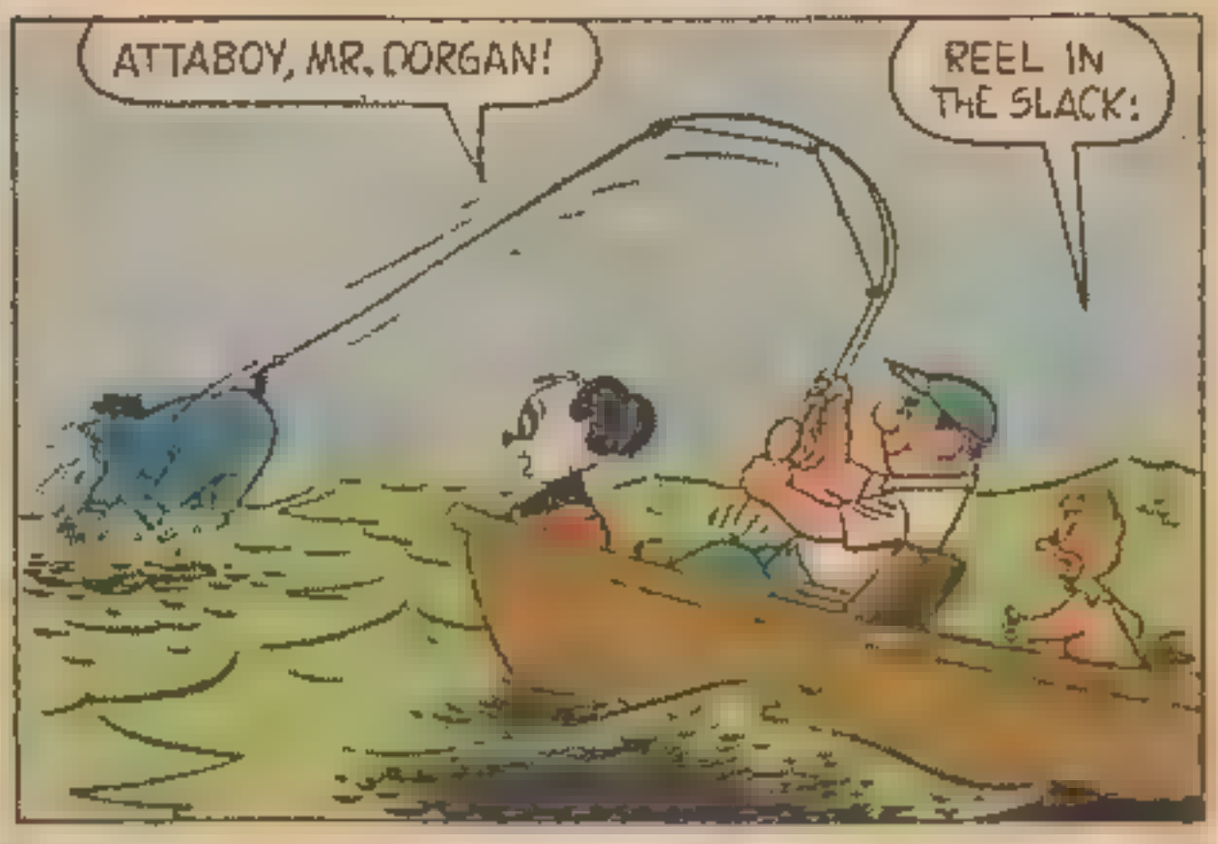

LUCKY THING WE SAW YOUR FLARES! LOOKS LIKE WE GOT HERE JUST IN TIME!
THOSE WEREN'T FLARES...

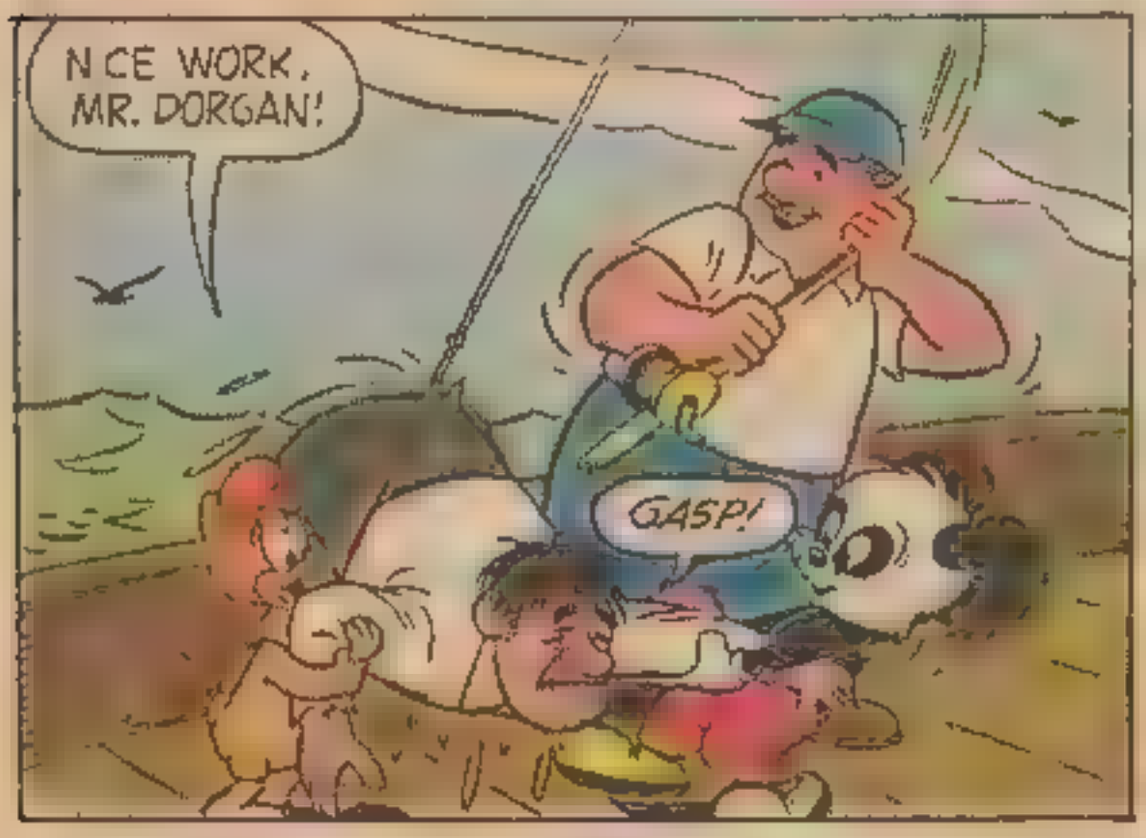

THEY WERE BACKFIRES FROM OUR BOAT! BARNACLE JOE JUST STOLE IT AND LEFT US ADRIFT!

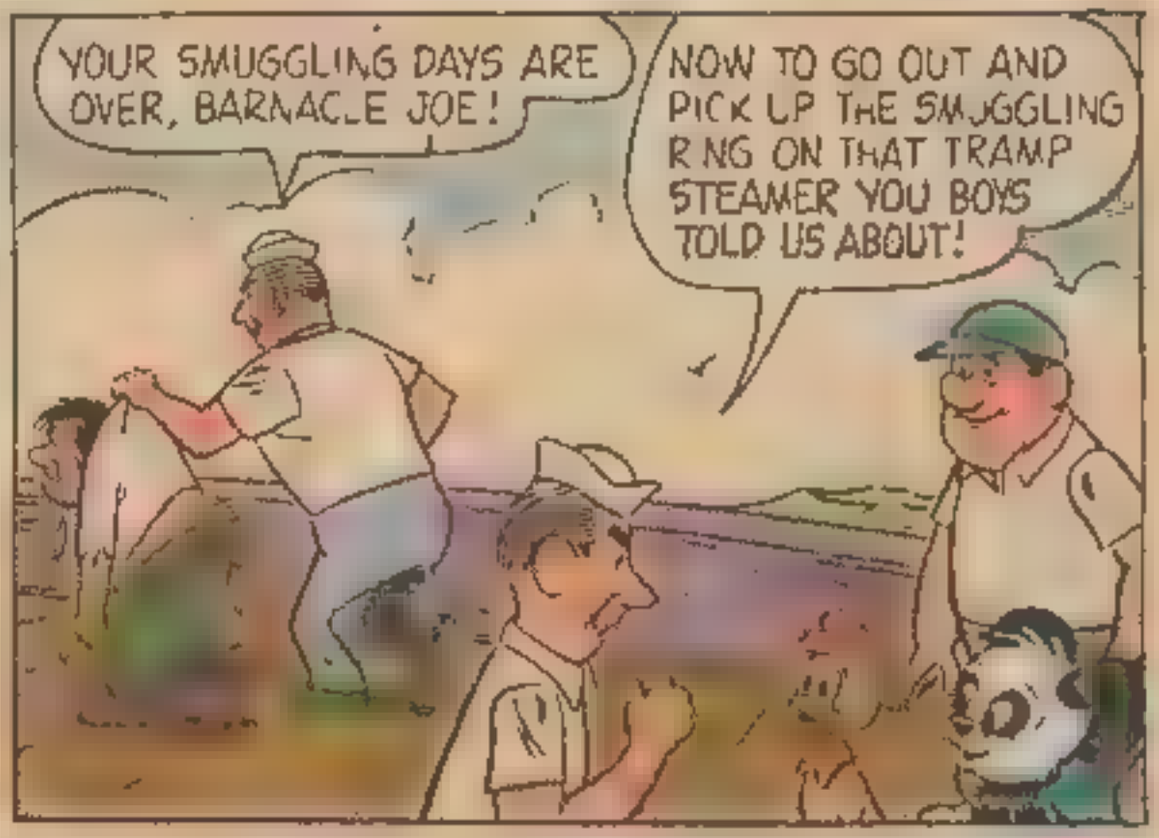
SOON...
THERE HE IS... STALLED!
WHA. .WHERE D YOU COME FROM?
COAST GUARD

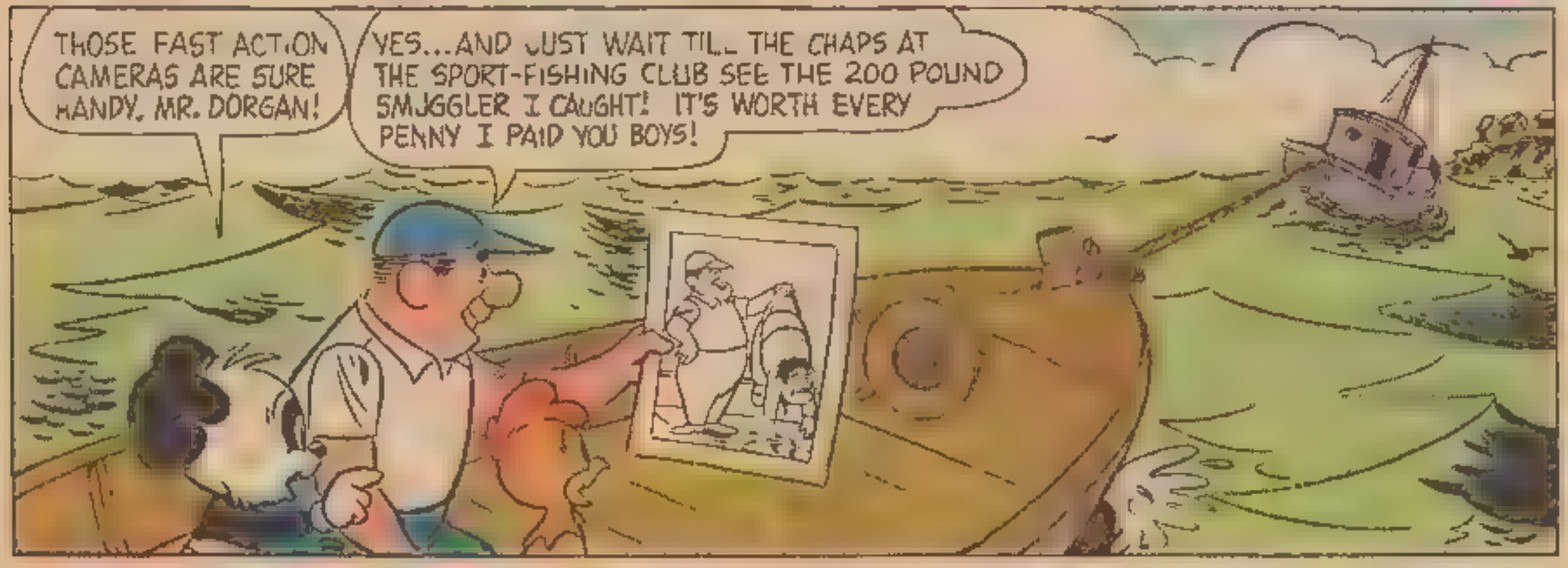

YOU DON'T HAVE ME YET!
AFTER HIM, MEN.
WAIT! LET ME HANDLE THIS!
SPLASH!


I DIDN'T WIN LAST YEAR'S CASTING CONTEST FOR NOTHING!


ATTABOY, MR. DORGAN!
REEL IN THE SLACK!


NICE WORK, MR. DORGAN!
GASP!

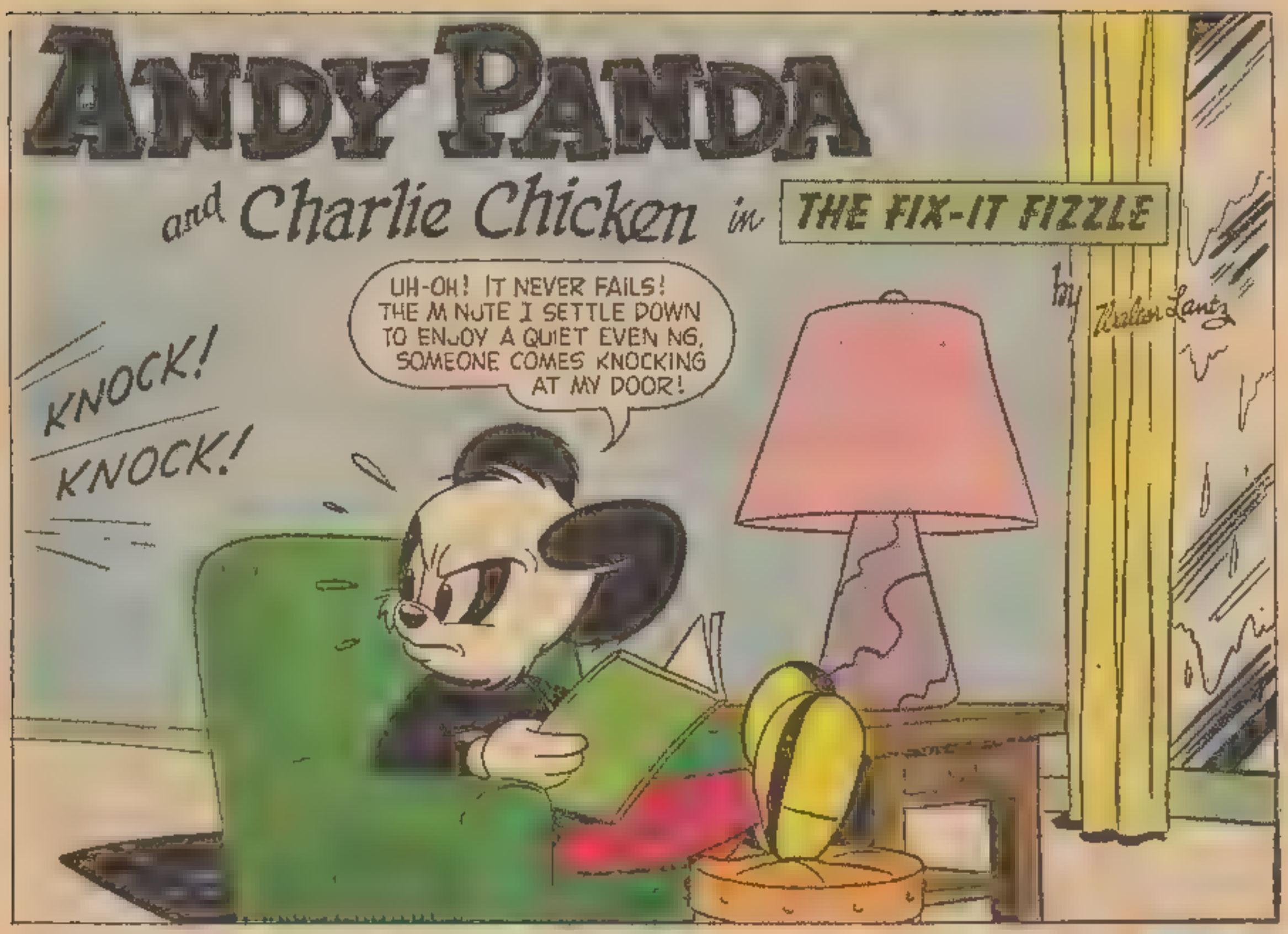

YOUR SMUGGLING DAYS ARE OVER, BARNACLE JOE!
NOW TO GO OUT AND PICK UP THE SMUGGLING RING ON THAT TRAMP STEAMER YOU BOYS TOLD US ABOUT!

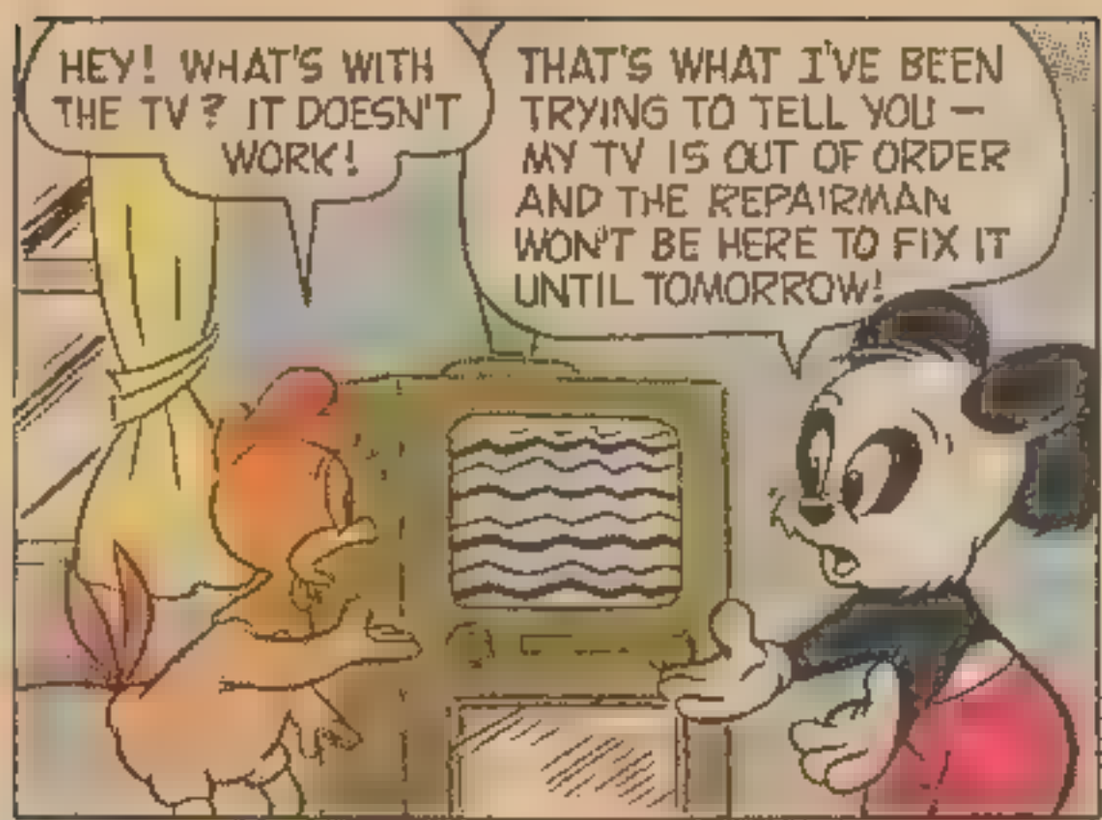

THOSE FAST ACTION CAMERAS ARE SURE HANDY, MR. DORGAN!
YES...AND JUST WAIT TILL THE CHAPS AT THE SPORT-FISHING CLUB SEE THE 200 POUND SMUGGLER I CAUGHT! IT'S WORTH EVERY PENNY I PAID YOU BOYS!

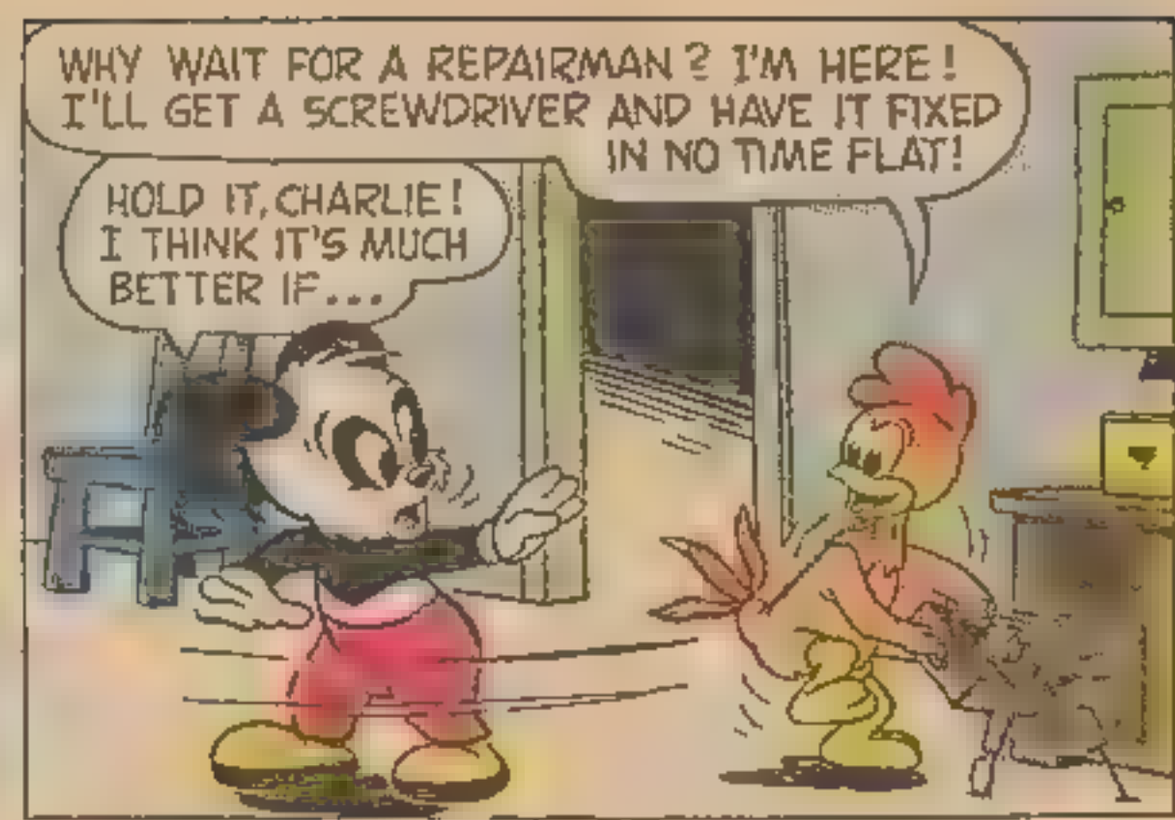
ANDY PANDA

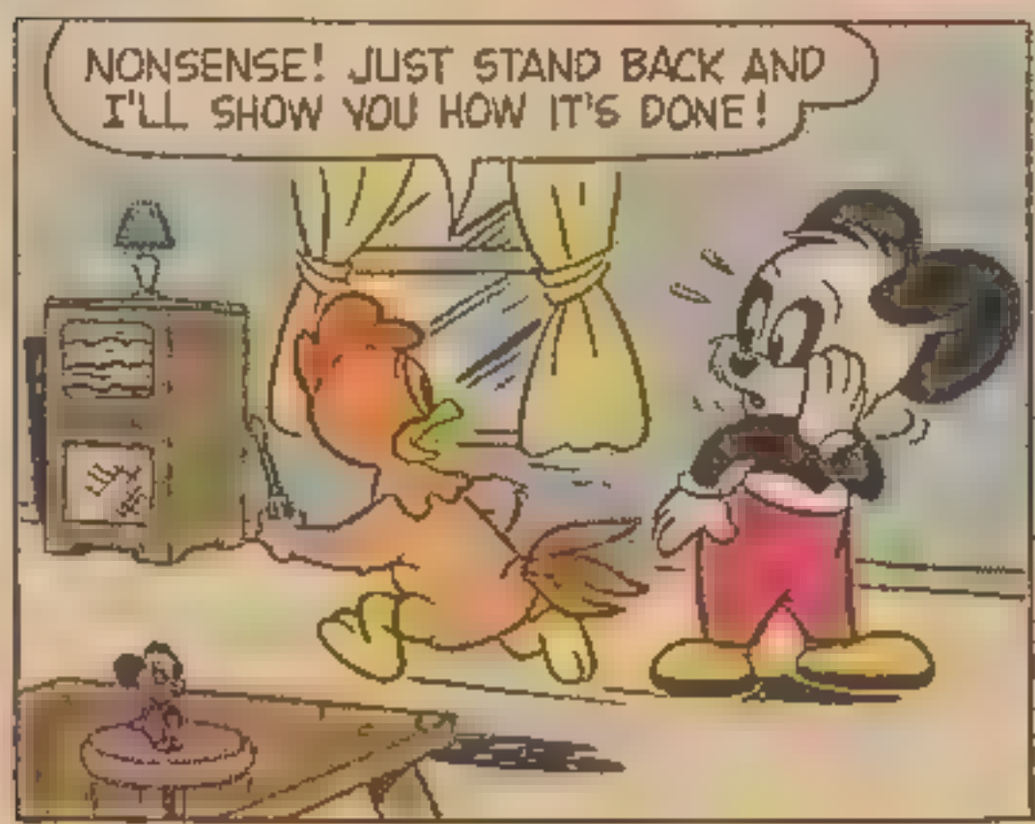
and Charlie Chicken in THE FIX-IT FIZZLE

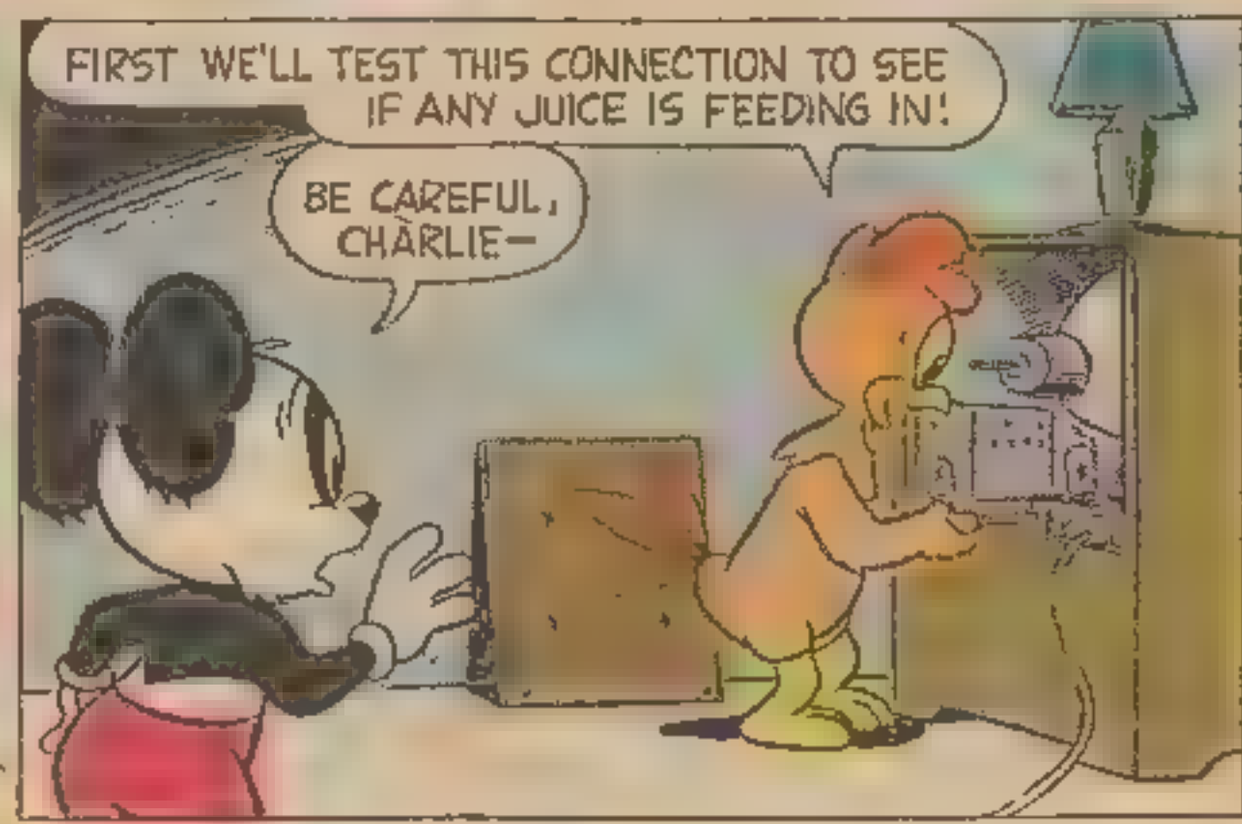
by Walter Lantz

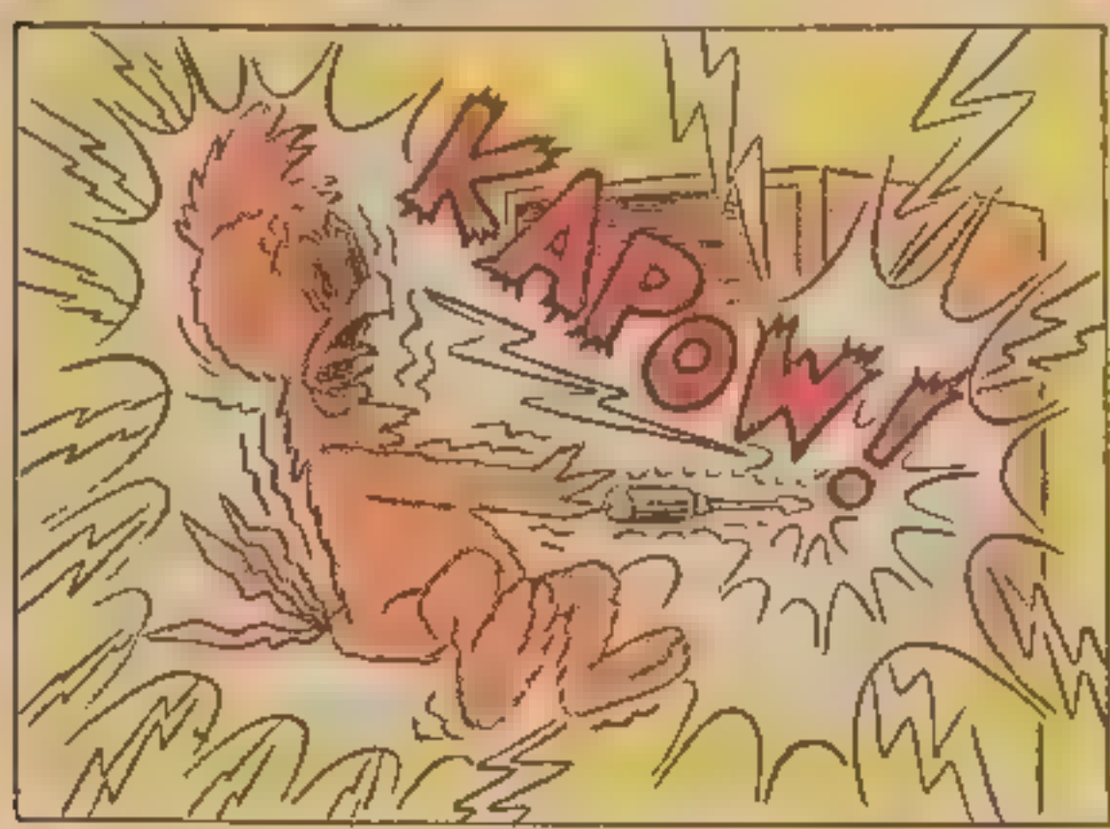


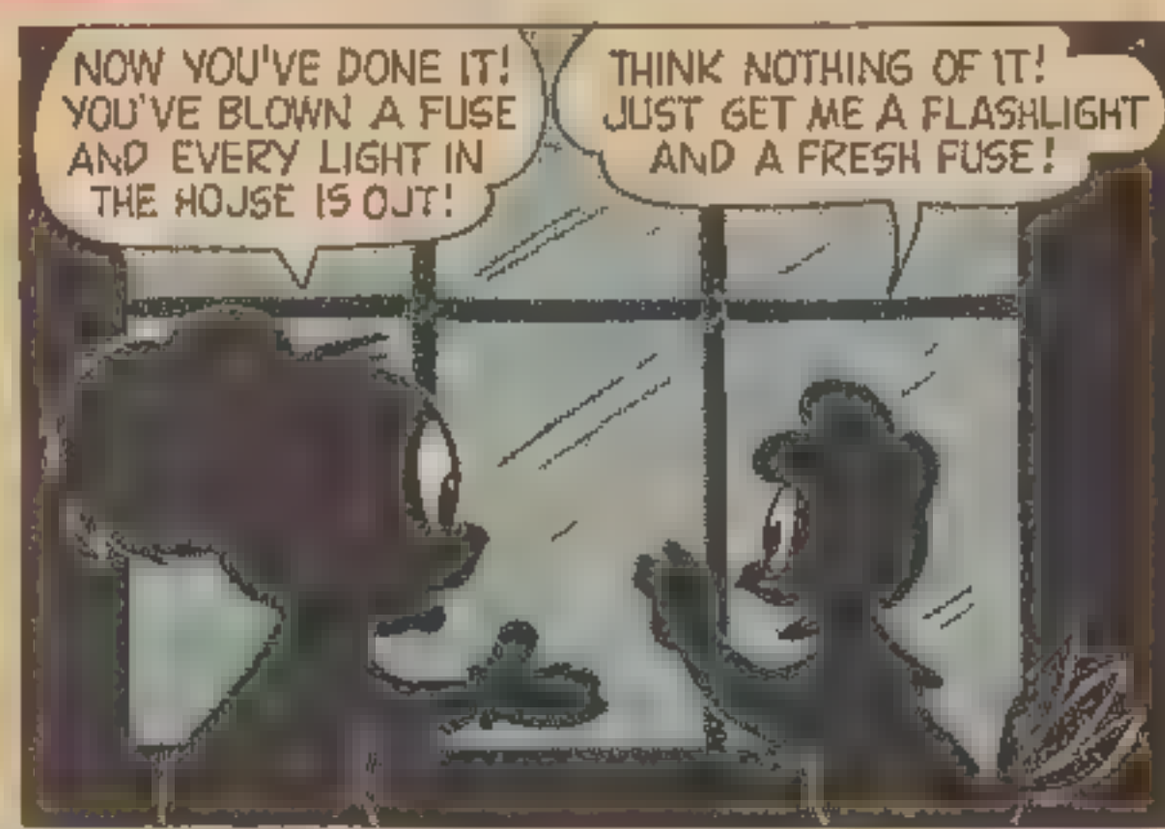

HEY! WHAT'S WITH THE TV? IT DOESN'T WORK!
THAT'S WHAT I'VE BEEN TRYING TO TELL YOU — MY TV IS OUT OF ORDER AND THE REPAIRMAN WON'T BE HERE TO FIX IT UNTIL TOMORROW!

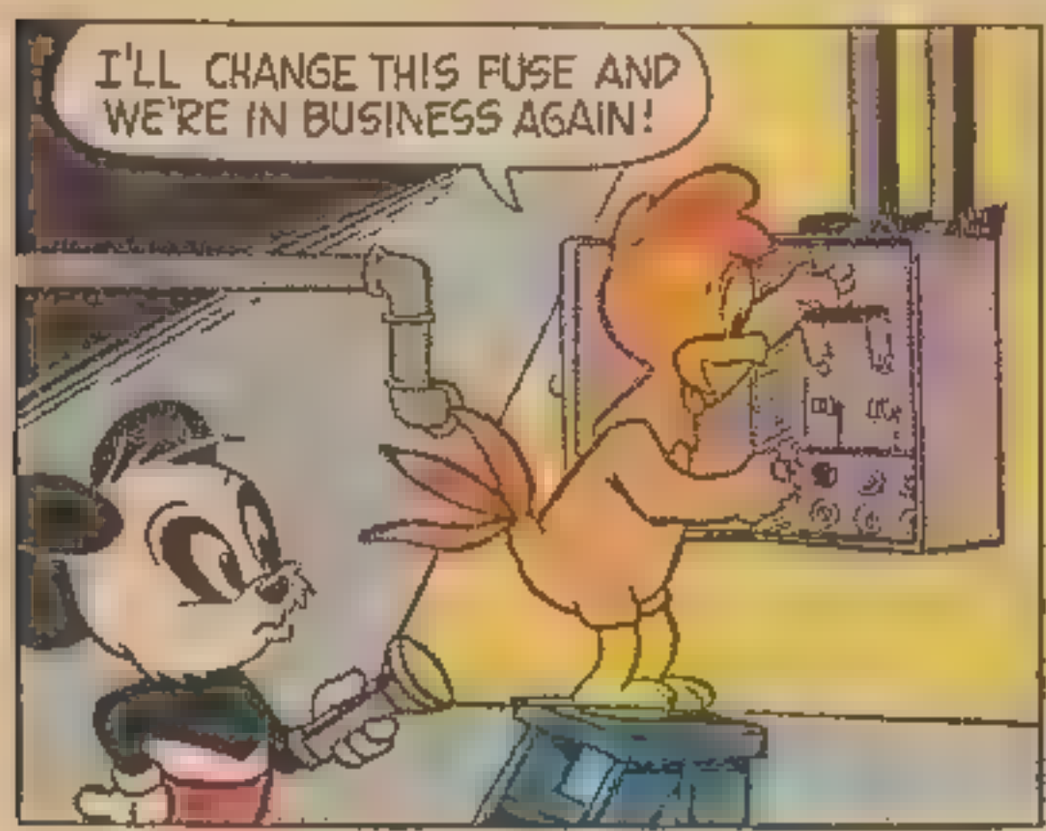

WHY WAIT FOR A REPAIRMAN? I'M HERE! I'LL GET A SCREWDRIVER AND HAVE IT FIXED IN NO TIME FLAT!
HOLD IT, CHARLIE! I THINK IT'S MUCH BETTER IF...

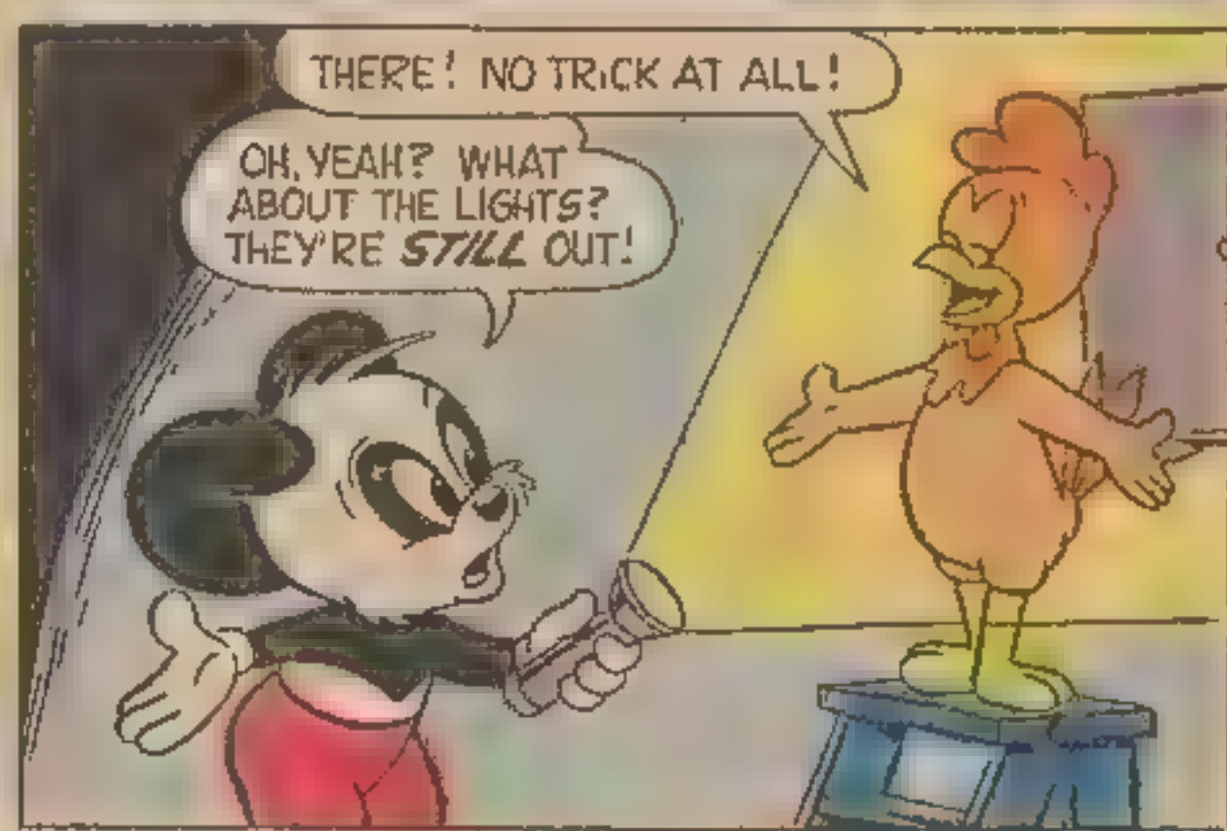

NONSENSE! JUST STAND BACK AND I'LL SHOW YOU HOW IT'S DONE!

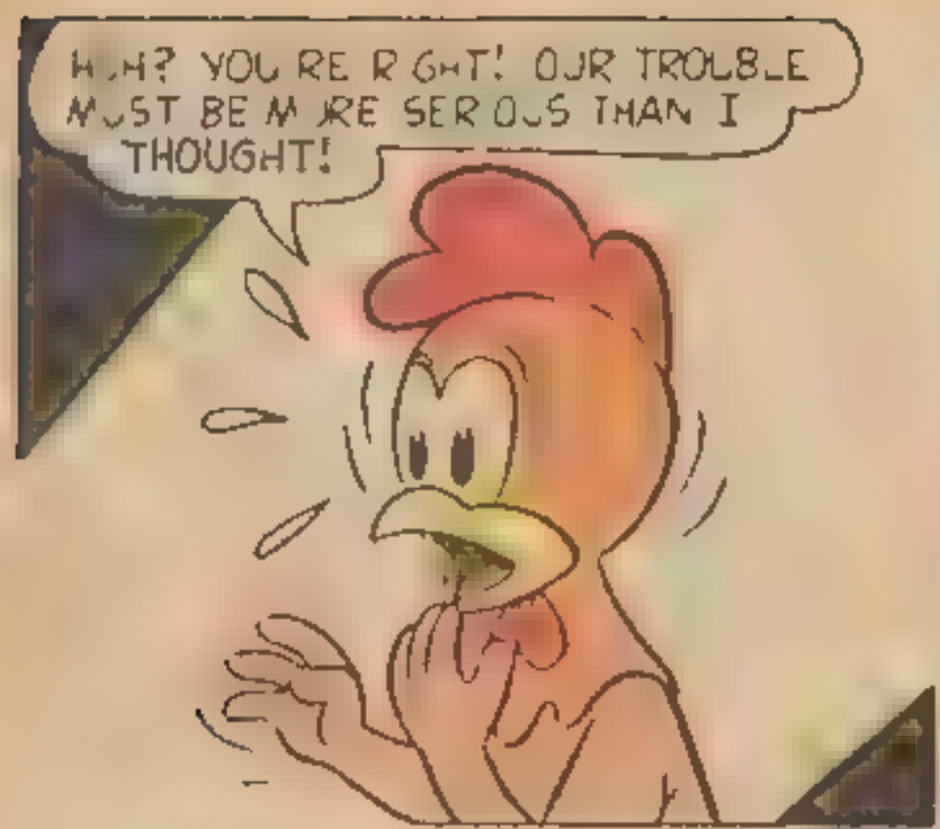

FIRST WE'LL TEST THIS CONNECTION TO SEE IF ANY JUICE IS FEEDING IN!
BE CAREFUL, CHARLIE—

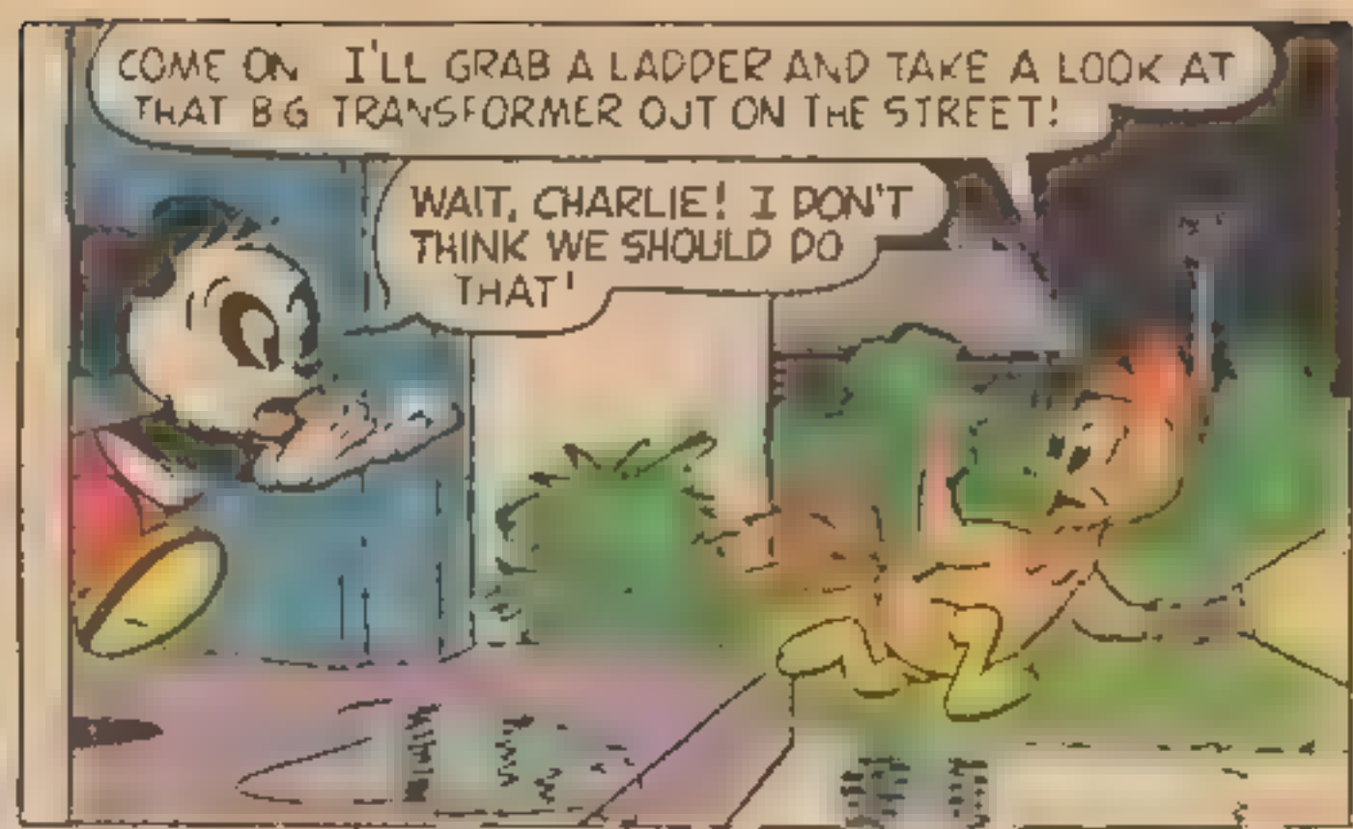

KAPOW!

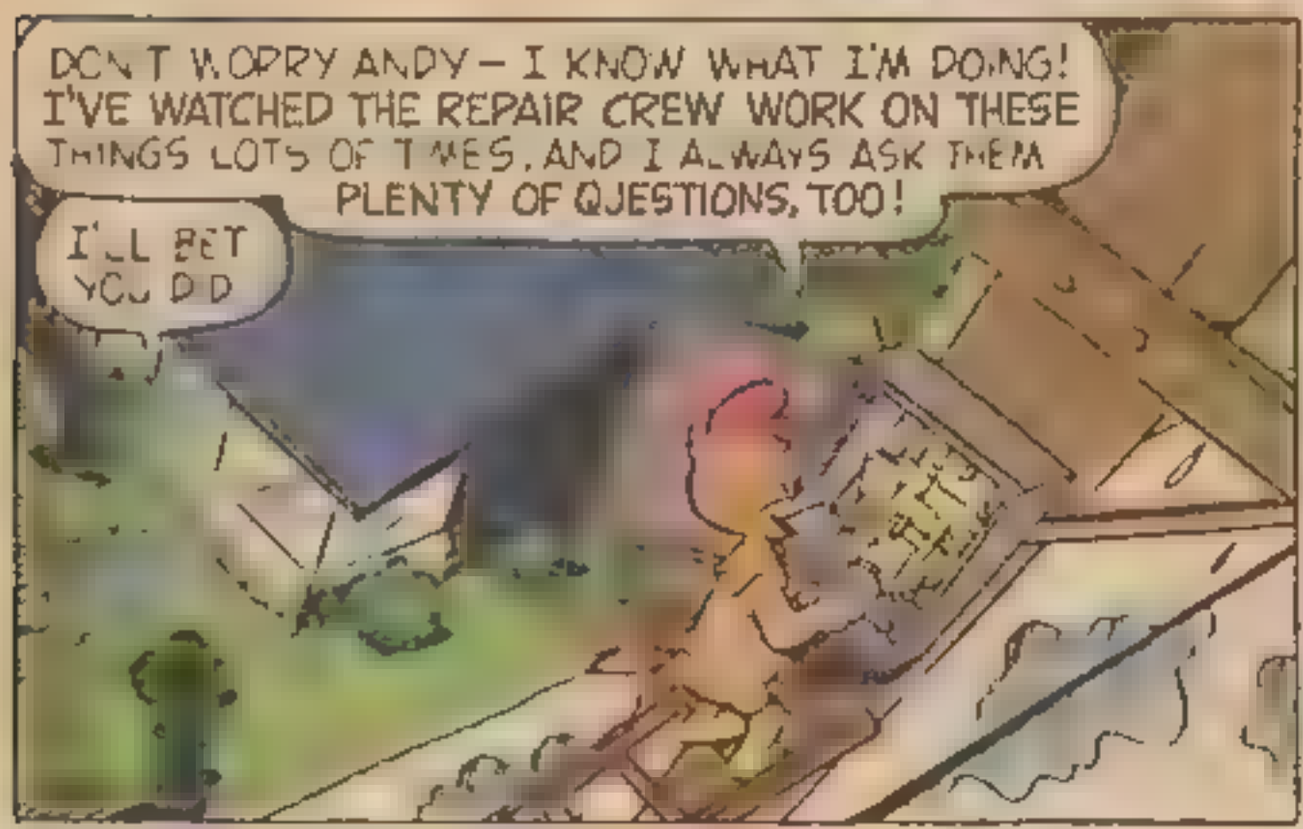

NOW YOU'VE DONE IT! YOU'VE BLOWN A FUSE AND EVERY LIGHT IN THE HOUSE IS OUT!
THINK NOTHING OF IT! JUST GET ME A FLASHLIGHT AND A FRESH FUSE!

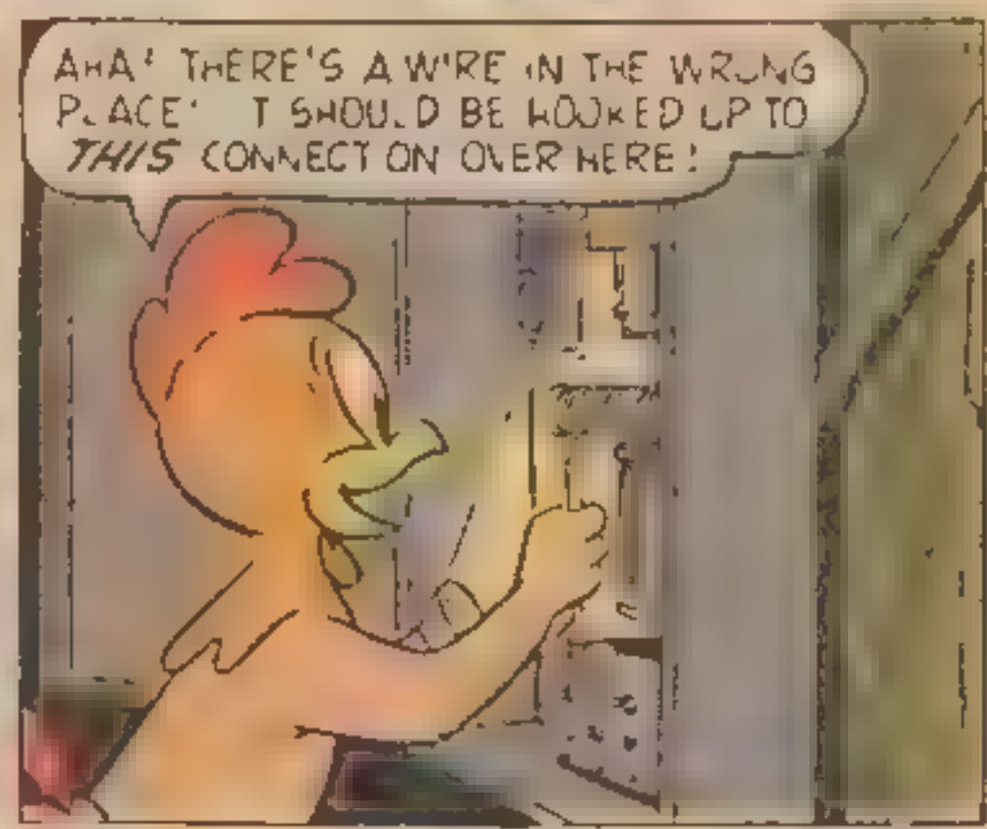

I'LL CHANGE THIS FUSE AND WE'RE IN BUSINESS AGAIN!

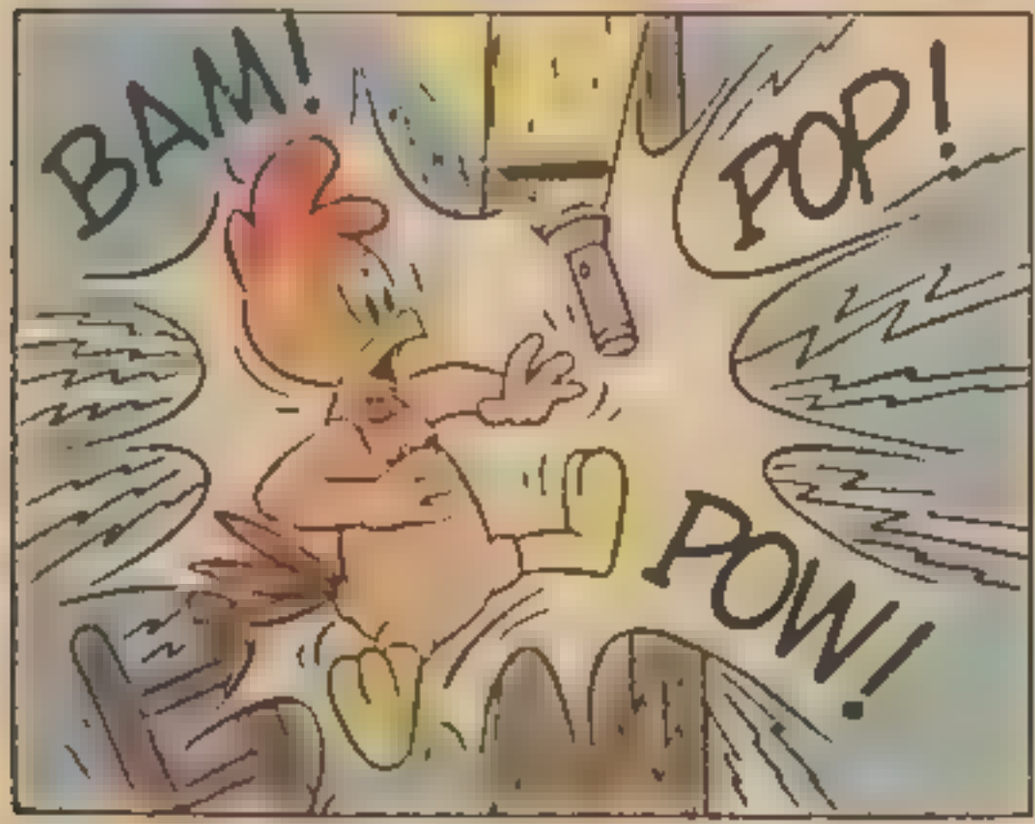

THERE! NO TRICK AT ALL!
OH, YEAH? WHAT ABOUT THE LIGHTS? THEY'RE *STILL* OUT!

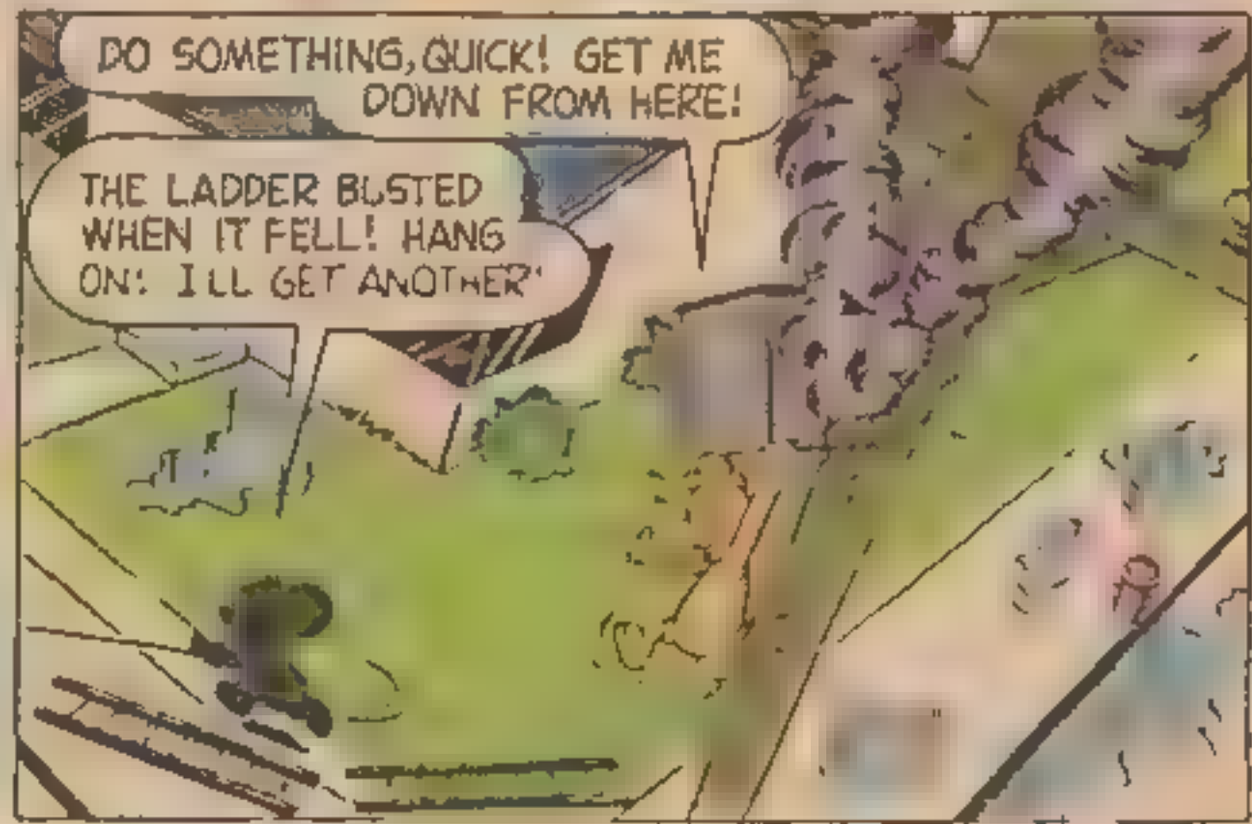

HUH? YOU'RE RIGHT! OUR TROUBLE MUST BE MORE SERIOUS THAN I THOUGHT!

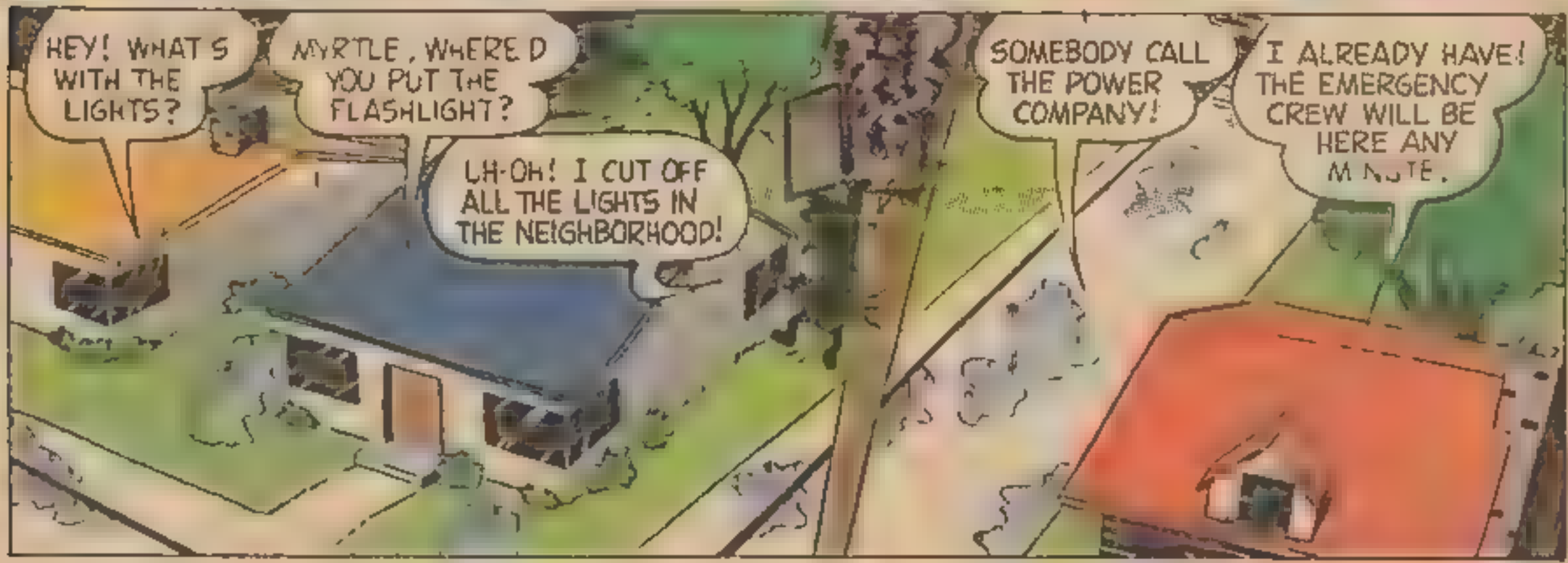

COME ON I'LL GRAB A LADDER AND TAKE A LOOK AT THAT BIG TRANSFORMER OUT ON THE STREET!
WAIT, CHARLIE! I DON'T THINK WE SHOULD DO THAT!

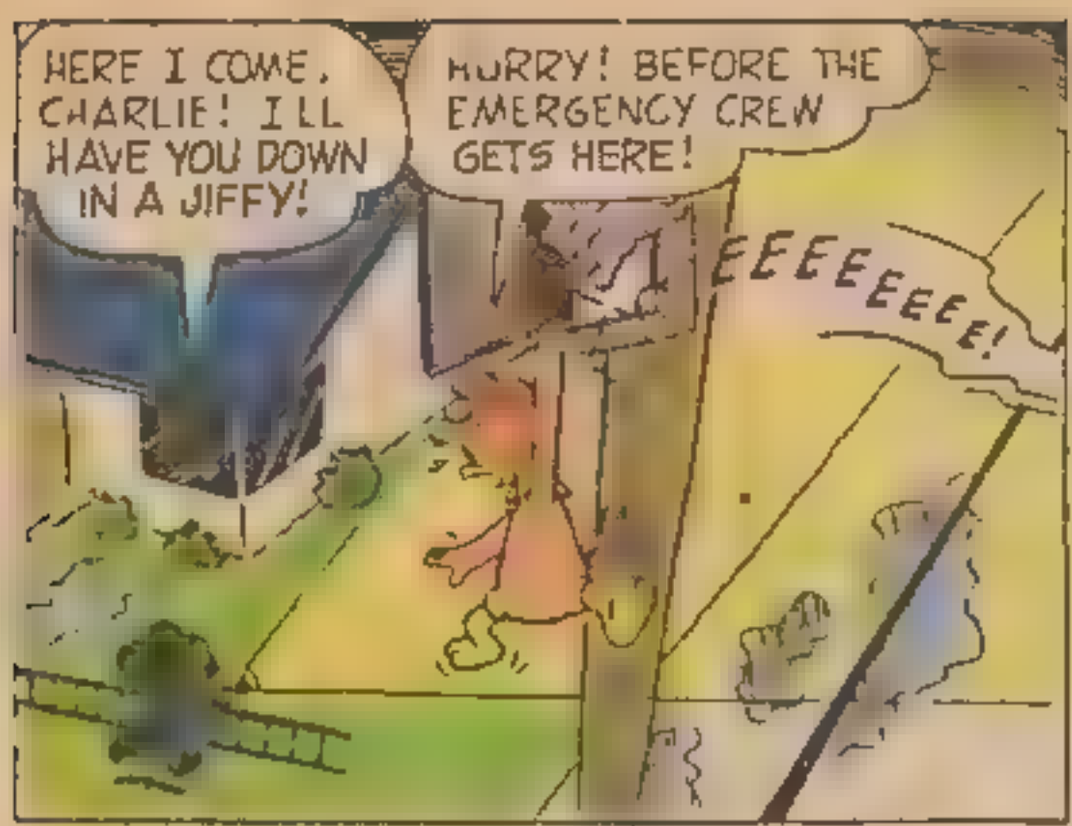

DON'T WORRY ANDY – I KNOW WHAT I'M DOING! I'VE WATCHED THE REPAIR CREW WORK ON THESE THINGS LOTS OF TIMES, AND I ALWAYS ASK THEM PLENTY OF QUESTIONS, TOO!
I'LL BET YOU DID

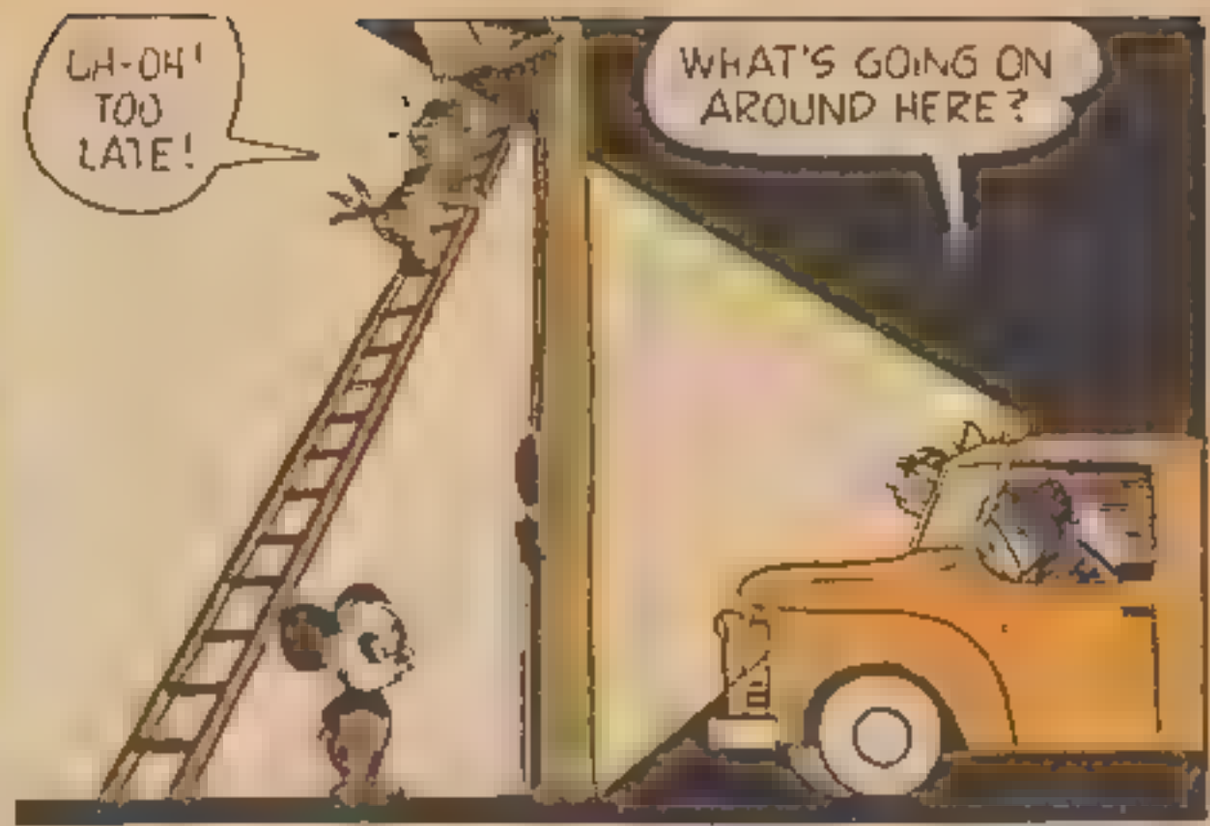

AHA! THERE'S A WIRE IN THE WRONG PLACE! IT SHOULD BE HOOKED UP TO THIS CONNECTION OVER HERE!

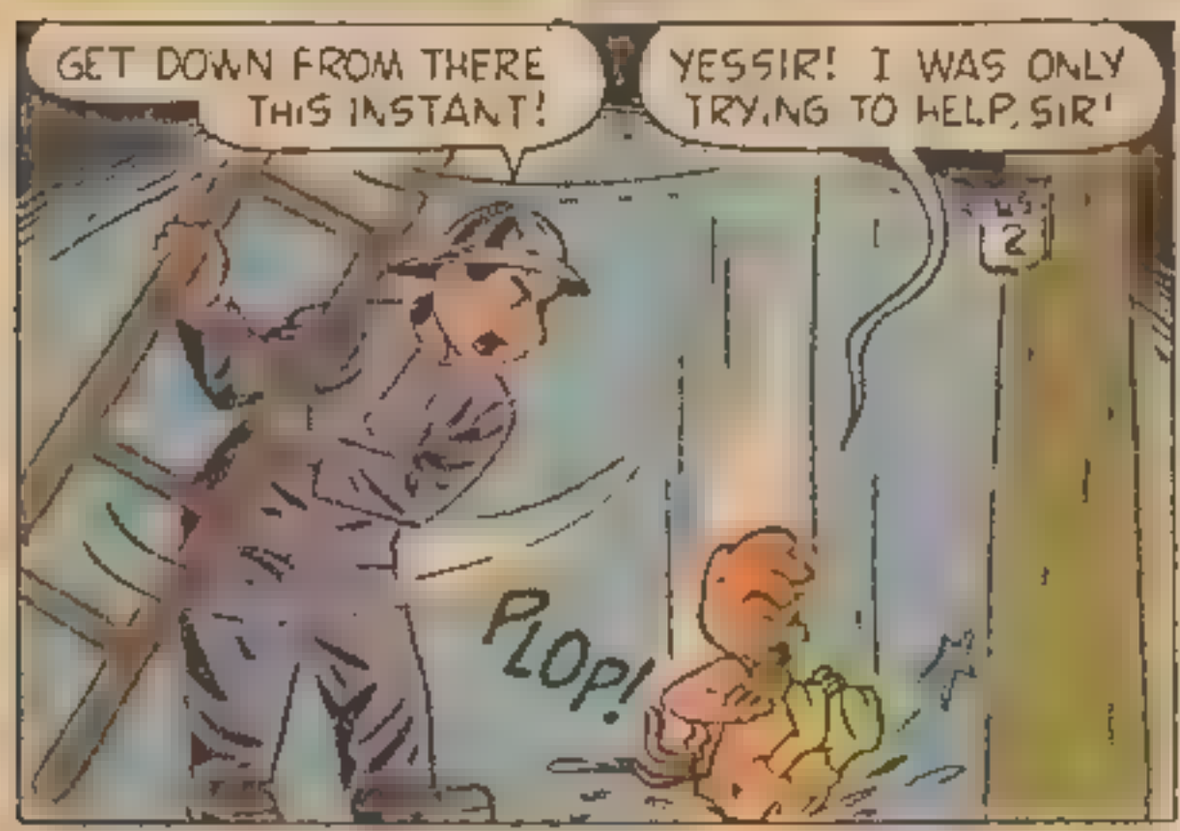

BAM!
POP!
POW!

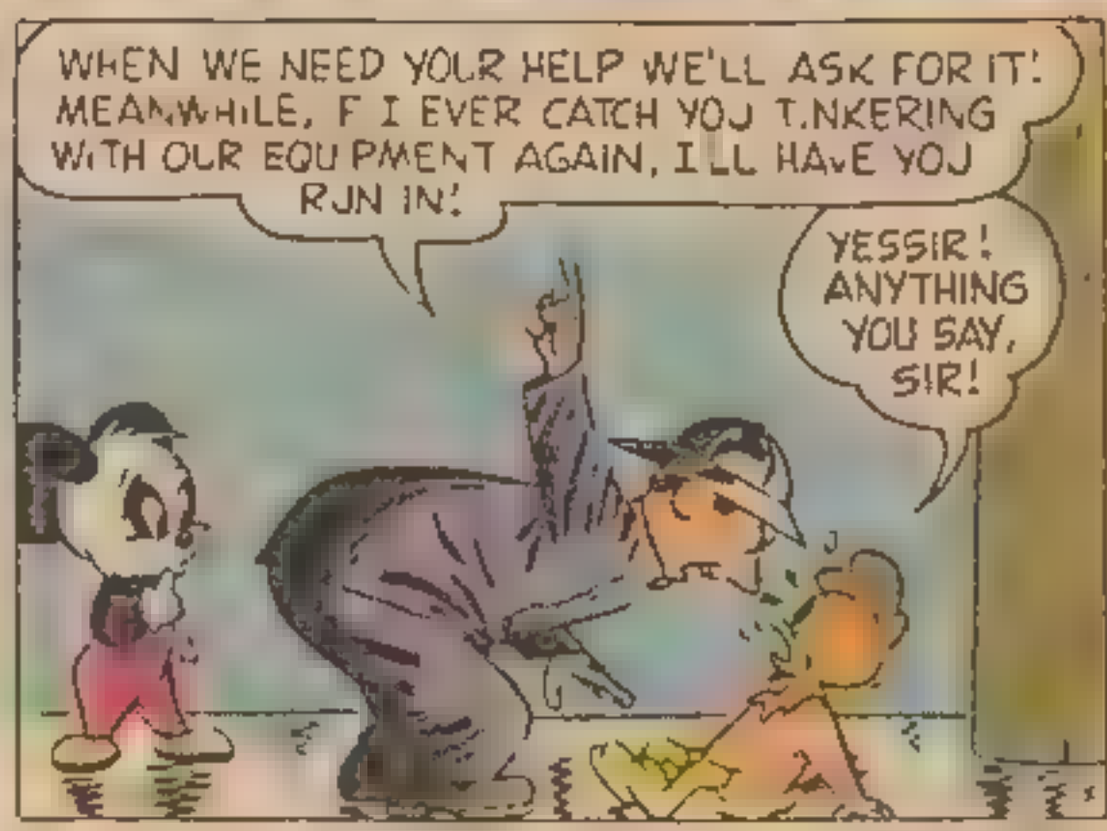

DO SOMETHING, QUICK! GET ME DOWN FROM HERE!
THE LADDER BUSTED WHEN IT FELL! HANG ON! I'LL GET ANOTHER!

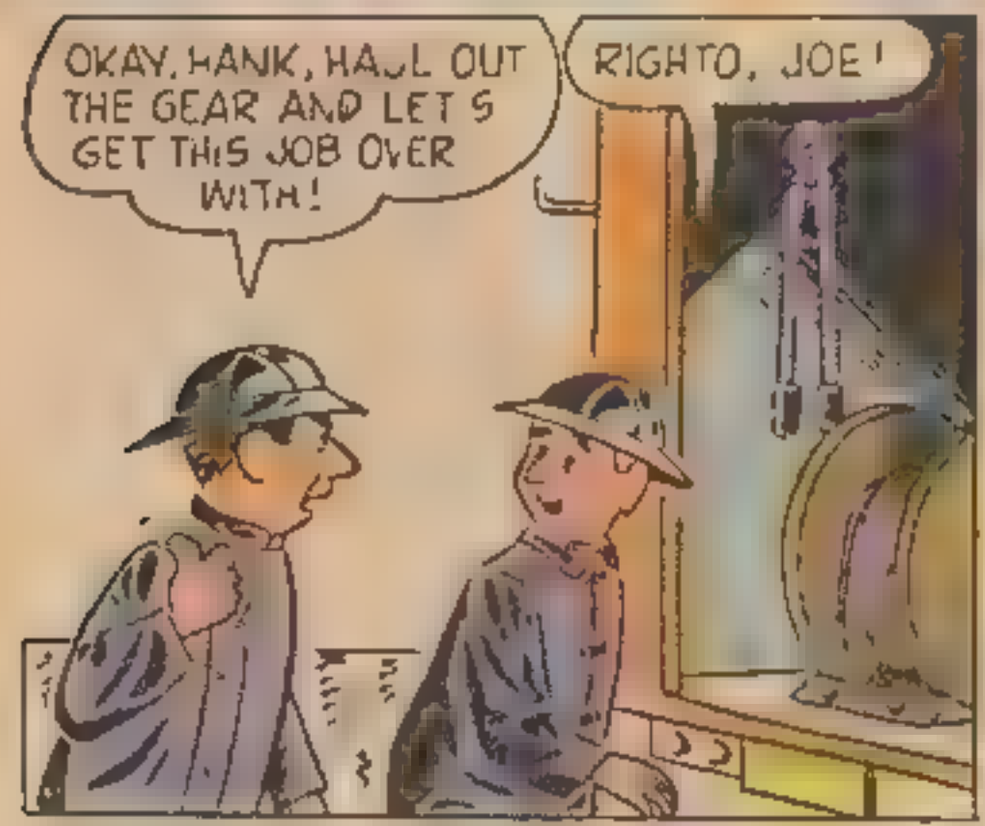

HEY! WHAT'S WITH THE LIGHTS?
MYRTLE, WHERE'D YOU PUT THE FLASHLIGHT?
UH-OH! I CUT OFF ALL THE LIGHTS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD!
SOMEBODY CALL THE POWER COMPANY!
I ALREADY HAVE! THE EMERGENCY CREW WILL BE HERE ANY MINUTE.

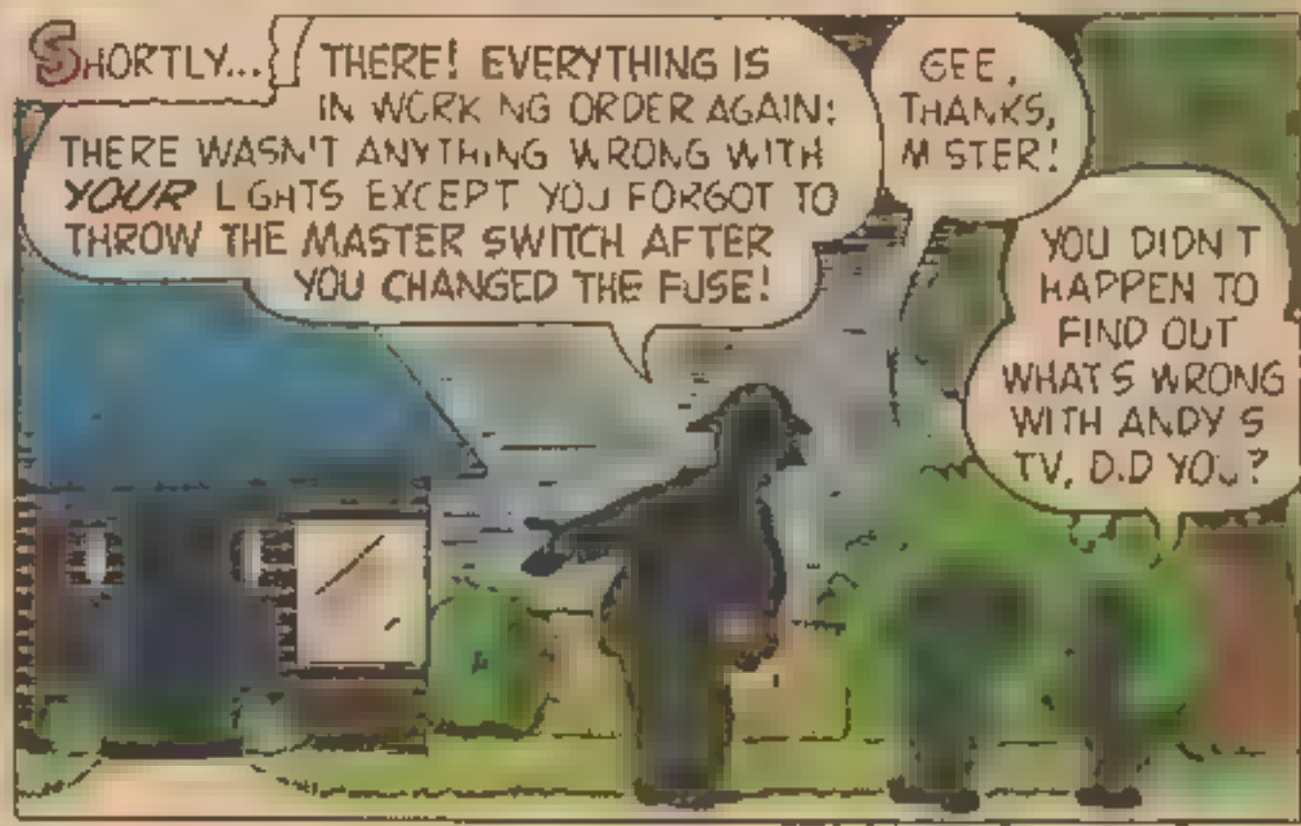

HERE I COME, CHARLIE! I'LL HAVE YOU DOWN IN A JIFFY!
HURRY! BEFORE THE EMERGENCY CREW GETS HERE!
EEEEEEEEE!

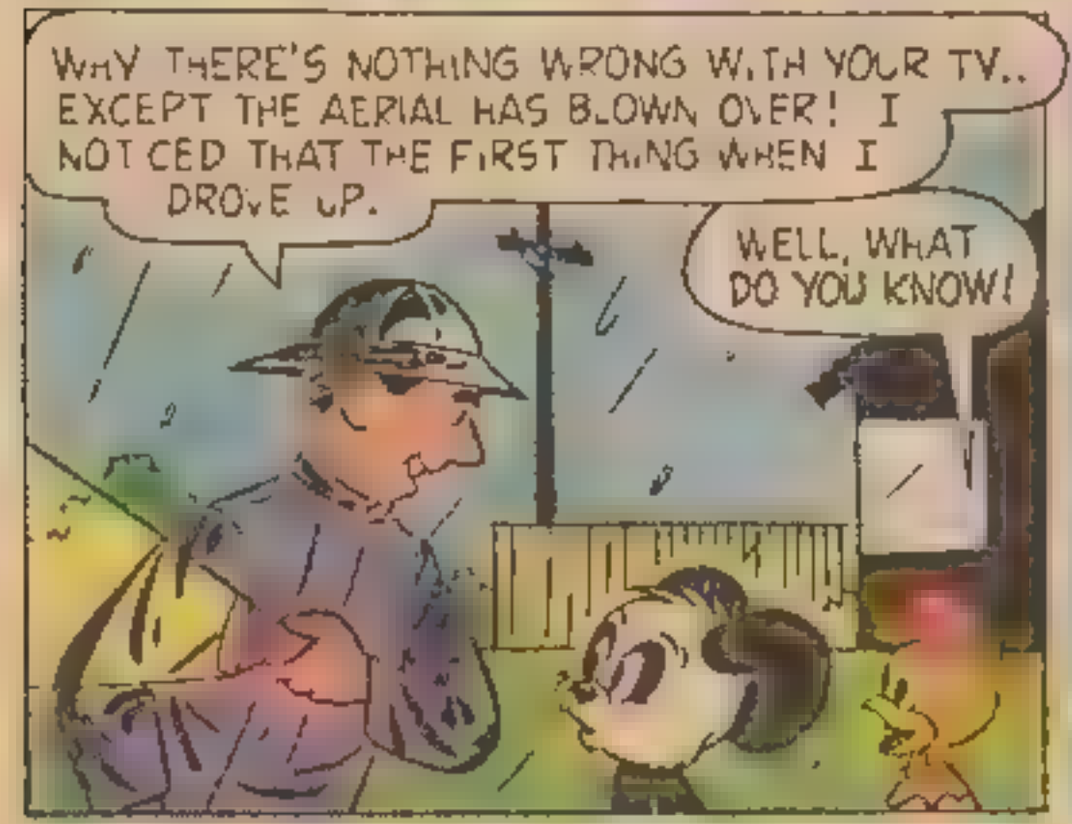

UH-OH! TOO LATE!
WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND HERE?

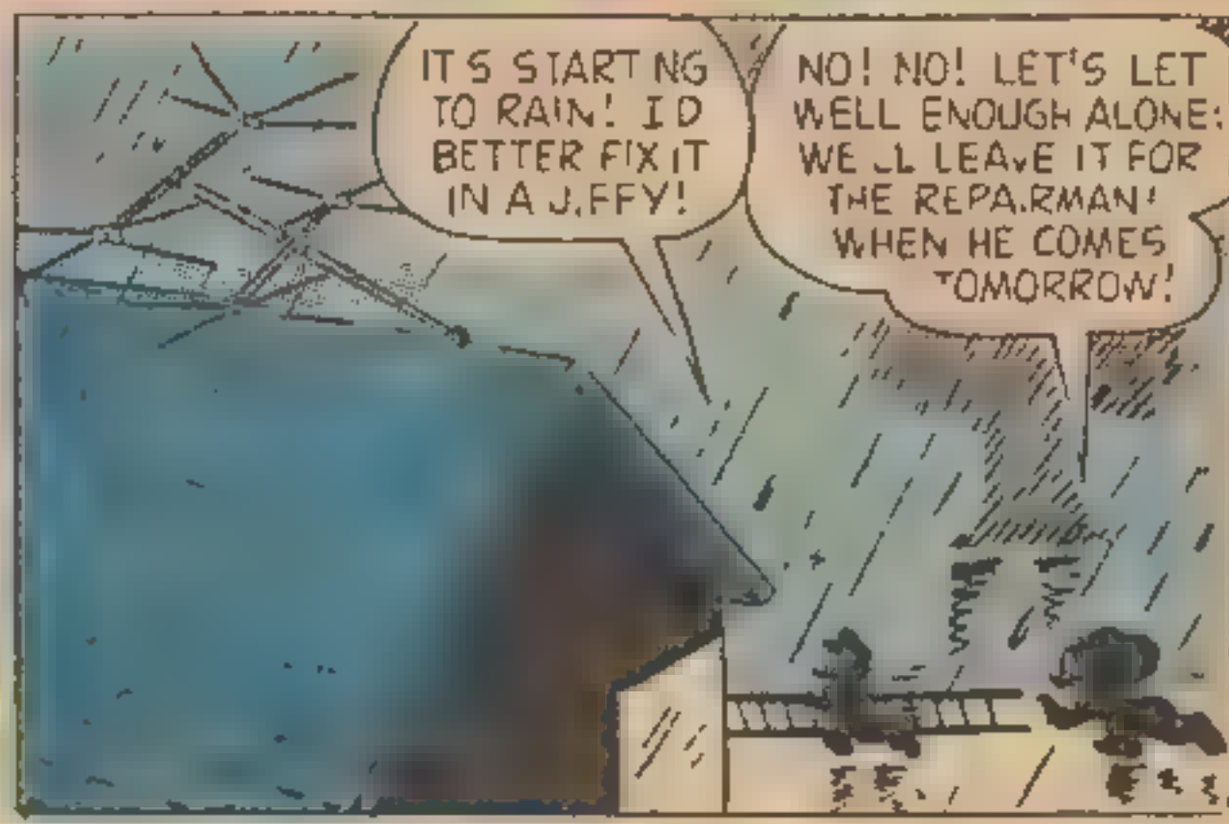

GET DOWN FROM THERE THIS INSTANT!
YESSIR! I WAS ONLY TRYING TO HELP, SIR!
PLOP!


WHEN WE NEED YOUR HELP WE'LL ASK FOR IT! MEANWHILE, IF I EVER CATCH YOU TINKERING WITH OUR EQUIPMENT AGAIN, I'LL HAVE YOU RUN IN!
YESSIR! ANYTHING YOU SAY, SIR!


OKAY, HANK, HAUL OUT THE GEAR AND LET'S GET THIS JOB OVER WITH!
RIGHTO, JOE!


SHORTLY...
THERE! EVERYTHING IS IN WORKING ORDER AGAIN: THERE WASN'T ANYTHING WRONG WITH YOUR LIGHTS EXCEPT YOU FORGOT TO THROW THE MASTER SWITCH AFTER YOU CHANGED THE FUSE!
GEE, THANKS, MISTER!
YOU DIDN'T HAPPEN TO FIND OUT WHAT'S WRONG WITH ANDY'S TV, DID YOU?

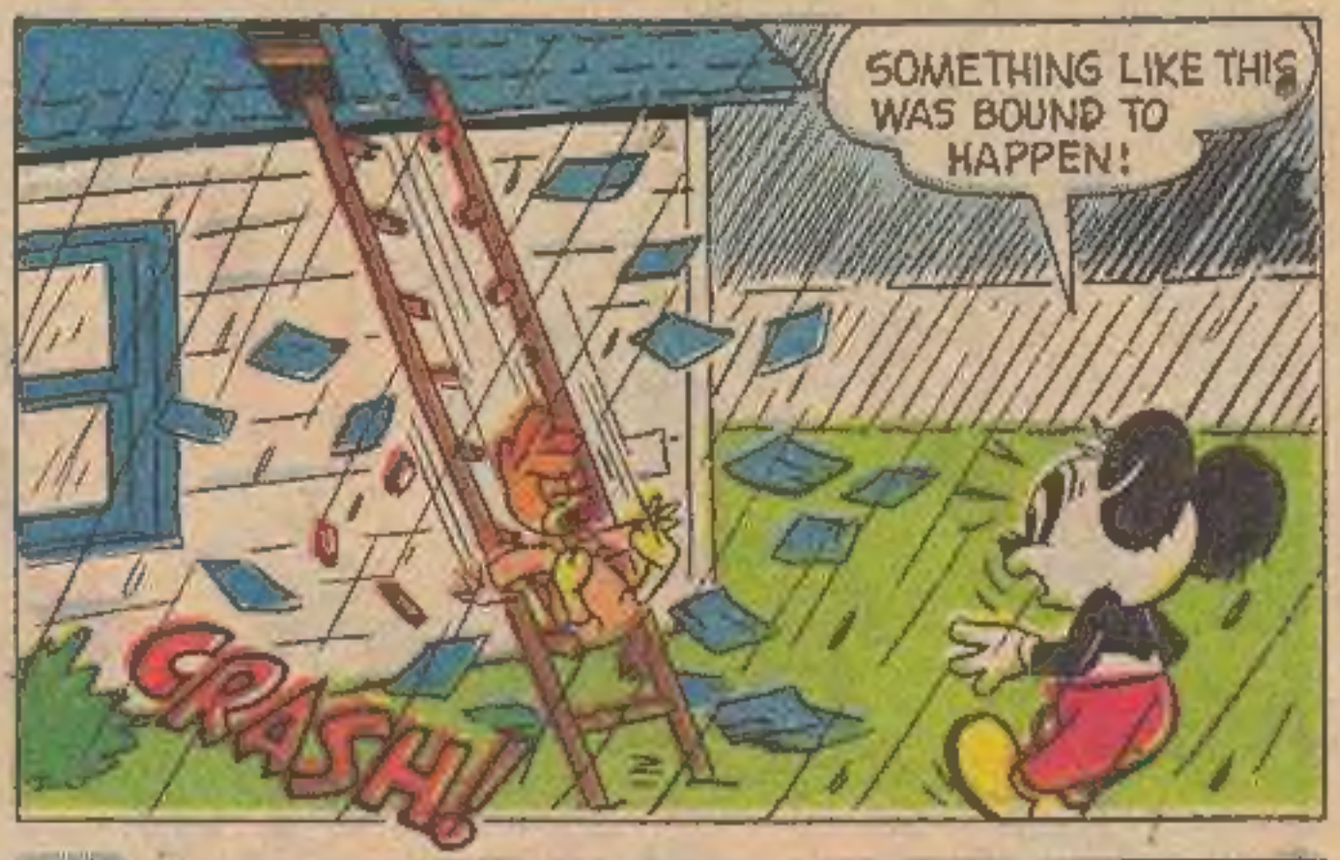

WHY THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH YOUR TV.. EXCEPT THE AERIAL HAS BLOWN OVER! I NOTICED THAT THE FIRST THING WHEN I DROVE UP.
WELL, WHAT DO YOU KNOW!


IT'S STARTING TO RAIN! I'D BETTER FIX IT IN A JIFFY!
NO! NO! LET'S LET WELL ENOUGH ALONE: WE'LL LEAVE IT FOR THE REPAIRMAN! WHEN HE COMES TOMORROW!

THE SUPPORT FOOTING HAS SLIPPED LOOSE FROM ITS MOORING— THAT'S ALL!
BAM!
BAM!

WELL, THAT'S THAT! NOW LET'S GO TUNE IN ON A GOOD PROGRAM!

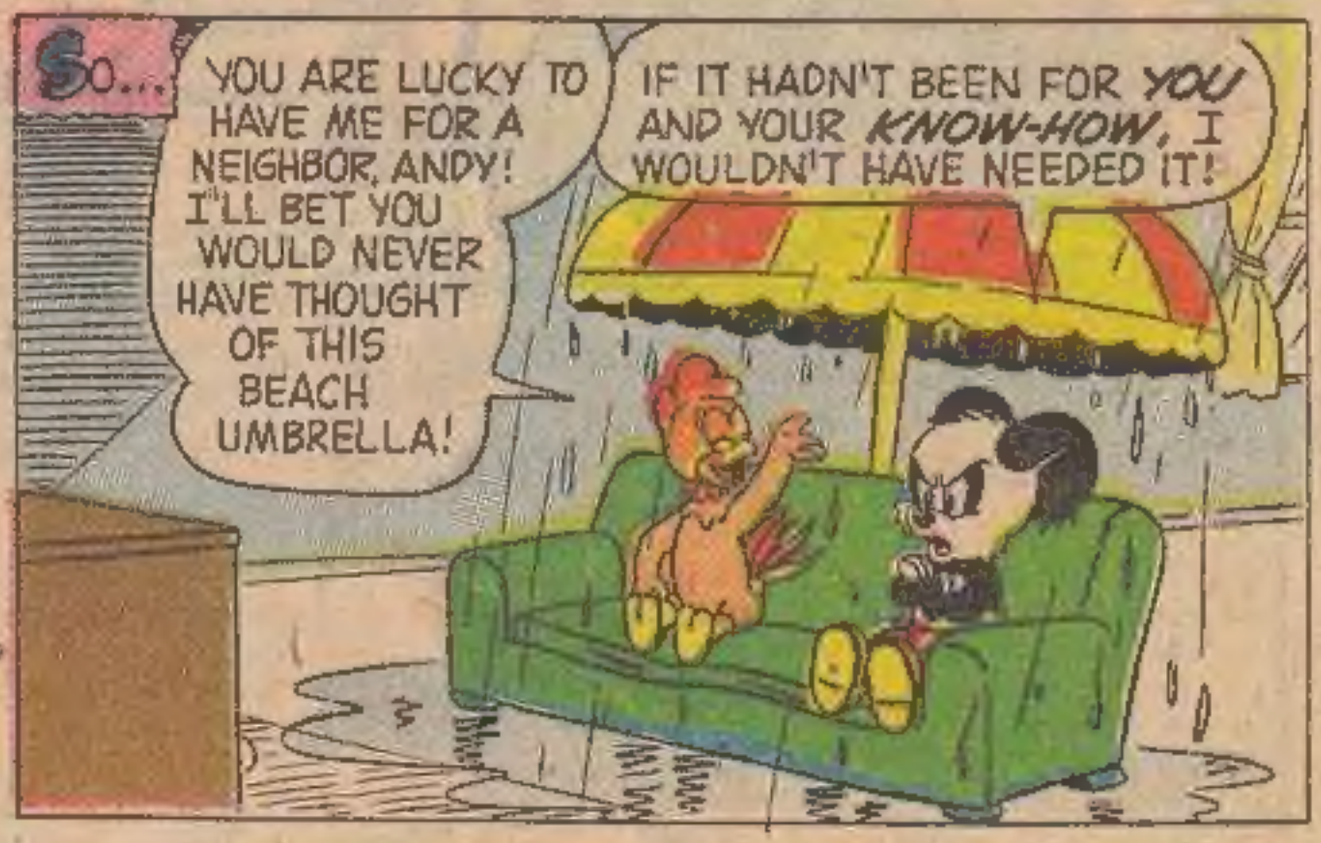
OOPS!
BRRRR!


SOMETHING LIKE THIS WAS BOUND TO HAPPEN!
CRASH!

YOU'VE GOT YOURSELF A *REAL* FIX-IT JOB NOW! IT'LL TAKE YOU THE REST OF THE EVENING TO PATCH THAT HOLE IN MY ROOF!
OH, NO! NOT IN THIS RAIN!

WE'LL START ON THAT FIRST THING TOMORROW! RIGHT NOW, LET'S GET INSIDE AND DRY OFF!
WITH THAT BIG HOLE IN MY ROOF, WHAT MAKES YOU THINK IT WILL BE ANY DRIER INSIDE THAN OUTSIDE?

I GOT IT ALL FIGURED OUT! JUST TURN ON THE TV— I'LL BE RIGHT BACK!


So...
YOU ARE LUCKY TO HAVE ME FOR A NEIGHBOR, ANDY! I'LL BET YOU WOULD NEVER HAVE THOUGHT OF THIS BEACH UMBRELLA!
IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR *YOU* AND YOUR *KNOW-HOW*, I WOULDN'T HAVE NEEDED IT!

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